

WEATHER — Cool tonight and Wednesday with occasional rain Wednesday afternoon. Low tonight 25-30.

Temperatures: 38 at 6 a. m., 32 at noon. Yesterday: 38 at noon, 38 at 6 p. m. High and low for 24 hours to noon today: 42 and 32. High and low year ago: 32 and 21. Rain: .10.

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## Guest At Town Hall Program

# Gen. Romulo Speaks Here On Thursday

Carlos P. Romulo, famed Philippine general and at present chairman of the Philippine delegation to the ninth session of the United Nations, will be heard at the Salem Town Hall's third program of the season Thursday night at 8:15 in the High School auditorium.

General Romulo, who was president of the fourth general assembly of the United Nations, will speak on the subject, "America's Stake in Asia."

Romulo, who has been awarded honorary degrees from 17 American colleges and universities, has been a reporter, editor and newspaper publisher in the Philippines, in addition to discharging himself militarily.

In 1942 he won the Pulitzer prize in journalism for distinguished correspondence, a series of articles written on a trip through the Far East just before the war.

### Was MacArthur Aide

General Romulo served as General MacArthur's aide-de-camp on Bataan, Corregidor, and in Australia, rising from the rank of major to brigadier general. He accompanied MacArthur and the liberating forces in the invasion of Leyte and later in the recapture of Manila from the Japanese.

He has been awarded high military decorations by his own country, the United States, Cuba, Mexico and Spain.

Statesmanship decorations have been bestowed on General Romulo by different national organizations.

He has participated in many international conferences, his first in 1945 when he headed the Philippine delegation to the U. N. conference in San Francisco. He headed the Philippine delegation to the U. N. general assembly the next year in London and has served in that capacity ever since.

He was Philippine delegate to the New Delhi Conference in India on January, 1949, and chairman of the Philippine delegation to the Japanese Peace Treaty Conference in September, 1951.

In the United States he has written five books, all of them best sellers.

Gen. Romulo is a graduate of the University of the Philippines, and Columbia University.

## Leetonia Building Destroyed By Fire

LEETONIA — Leetonia Volunteer Firemen worked for two hours this morning fighting a fire that completely razed the Van Body Shop on Columbiana St.

Fire Chief Eldon Holt estimated damage to the building owned by Frank Dominic at \$1,500 and said that damages to contents of the building were \$500.

However, F. L. Macry, manager of the establishment, said that goods valued at \$5,000 were destroyed.

The building was covered by insurance; the contents were not.

An exploding kerosene stove was given as the cause of the blaze which was reported at 8 a.m.

## 5 Youths Plead Guilty To Stealing Gasoline

LISBON — Jack Shields, 19, of RD 1, Wellsville, and four high school boys from the Wellsville area pleaded guilty in Juvenile Court Monday to a charge of stealing gasoline.

Shields was sentenced to 30 days in jail, fined \$25 and his operators license was revoked for 60 days by Judge Louis Tobin.

The younger boys were each fined \$15, ordered to attend church and abide by a 6 p.m. curfew for 30 days. The youngest was 14, another was 15 and two were 16.

They were accused of siphoning gas Sunday morning from trucks of Dale Rudabaugh of RD 3, Lisbon operator of Wellsville Feed and Supply Co. They were arrested by Wellsville police.

## Mayor Fines 2 Drivers

Two motorists, appearing before Mayor Dean Cranmer yesterday, each paid fines of \$20 and costs when they pleaded guilty to charges of speeding.

They were Michael Kiminas, 36, of Cleveland and Gus C. Kiminas, 37, of Canton.

Skating Party at Brookwood Rink, tonight. Sponsored by Salem Motorcycle Club.

Temple Oranges  
Tangerines  
Shipley's Orange Store Ad.

Open Thurs. Jan. 6 at 119 S. Broadway. Ed Konnerth, Jeweler.



Gen. Carlos P. Romulo

## Father Starts Fire Killing 5

### 3 of Own Children Die, Wife Critically Hurt

SAGINAW, Mich. (AP)—An enraged father kicked over an oil heater during a family quarrel last night, touching off a flash fire that killed five children — three of them his own — and critically burned his wife.

Police said Eugene Pierce, 29, deliberately overturned the stove in a scuffle with his father-in-law L. C. Valentine, 44.

Pierce, unemployed father of five, was under police guard at St. Mary's Hospital, held for investigation of manslaughter. He suffered a burn on the arm and lacerations in escaping through a window of the flaming home.

### 5 Others Injured

Two other adults and three children also were injured.

Valentine said Pierce, who was estranged from his wife, entered the house brandishing a knife. He said he subdued Pierce by smashing him on the head with the butt of a shotgun.

Pierce fled into another room, knocking over the oil heater, police said. Flames raced through the house, trapping the five victims, who were playing upstairs.

They were Betty Jane Pierce, 8; Sherlee Laverne Pierce, 6, and Allen Pierce, 4; Juanita Johnson, 10, and Caroline Craion, 2.

Wife Burned Critically  
Pierce's wife Ada Lee, 26, was burned critically.

Others injured in the blaze were Mrs. Pearl Craion, 22; and Valentine's wife Lucretia, 45.

back into to building in an attempt Mrs. Valentine carried three children to safety — Vickie Pierce, 2, and Leonard Pierce, 9 months, and Geraldine Craion, 9 months.

Police were forced to handcuff Pierce to keep him from dashing back into the building in an attempt to rescue his children.

Valentine told police Pierce had been living away from his family since his release from the veterans hospital at Battle Creek, where he had been under treatment as a mental case. Officers said he had been drinking.

## Boy Suffers Broken Leg In Mine Pit Fall

Ronald Janovec, 11-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Joe P. Janovec of the Sebring - Pine Lake Rd., who fractured his right leg when he slid into a strip mine pit Sunday, is recuperating at his home following release from Salem City Hospital Monday.

Ronald, with George Conrad III, 14, was exploring the mining land near the Brookwood roller rink on the Albany Rd. when he slipped down into the pit at a 45-degree angle, hitting rock.

When Mr. Conrad and William Keck were unable to get immediate help from the Greenford Fire Department they used ropes and blankets and Mr. Conrad, assisted by Mr. Keck, got Ronald out.

Wanted to Rent: 5 or 6 room house modern. Small family. Best references. Ph. ED 2-4915. Ad.

Moving to 274 E. State St. Monday, January 10 Jan Kay Ad.

Rose Drakulich, Graduate beautician available for appointment. Kaecher Beauty Salon, ED 7-6941. Ad.

## School Board Sets 3-Month Appropriation

### Same As Last Year; Board Re-elects Fitch As President

A temporary three-month appropriation of \$321,725, the same as last year's record appropriation for last night by the Salem Board of Education at its first meeting of 1955.

The board also re-elected Attorney Alfred L. Fitch as president and John C. Litty, vice president. George F. Kozont, clerk-treasurer for 21 years, is serving the second year of his current two-year term.

Estimated for teachers' salaries in the first three months of 1955 is \$250,000, same as last year. Teachers' salaries represent the largest item in the appropriation.

Other estimates include: Principals' salaries - \$3,500. Janitors' salaries - \$20,000. Supplies - \$10,600. Maintenance Materials - \$750. Transportation of pupils - \$3,000. Electricity - \$2,000. Insurance - \$2,000.

Of the 1955 total, \$306,725 was estimated for the general fund and \$15,000 for the bond retirement fund, the same as in 1954.

In other action, the board appointed August DeCraw and Mrs. Mae Ward as part-time assistant school janitors at Rolly School.

### Music Room Enlarged

Supt. of Schools E. S. Kerr reported that enlargement of the music room in the basement of the Fourth Street School has been completed. Kerr also told the board that repair plastering was done at McKinley School and the High School during the Christmas vacation. Two rooms were repainted along with some wainscoting in the halls at McKinley, Kerr said.

The board ordered replacement of worn window blinds in the public schools.

Supt. Kerr reported 3,179 pupils enrolled in the Salem public schools on Jan. 1, compared with 3,016 at that date last year.

The board voted to continue holding its regular meetings on the first Monday of each month at 7:30 p.m.

Informal bids will be sought for installation of two drinking fountains and a toilet at Prospect School, the board reported.

The school board's athletic committee will meet Wednesday night for a routine meeting.

## 23 Criminal Cases Before Grand Jury

LISBON — The January Grand Jury, seated here this morning by Common Pleas Judge Joel H. Sharp went into closed session in Courtroom No. 2 to consider 23 criminal cases.

The cases range from rape, auto theft and burglary to forgery and driving while intoxicated.

Although the grand jury docket showed only 11 cases Friday, 12 more cases have been added. The session is expected to last about three days.

## 12 County Men Leave For Army Induction

Twelve Columbiana County men boarded a bus at Lisbon this morning for Cleveland for induction into the armed forces.

Donald I. Miller, 893 E. Fourth St., was among the group. Others leaving were Robert Holt of Leetonia, Henry F. Siefke of RD 4, Lisbon, Wendell D. Stanley of RD 2, Beloit, Harry R. Duck of Wellsville, William W. Irwin Jr., and David S. Kennedy, both of East Liverpool, Carl W. Hertel, Robert E. Thomas, Gerald E. Polen and John R. Hirst, all of Salineville, and Charles Duncan of Chester, W. Va.

## Fined In Lisbon

LISBON — A Salem motor man was among five motorists fined a total of \$100 and costs for traffic violations at hearings Monday before Mayor Wilbur Warren.

Lee H. Utterback of 469 Fair Ave. was fined \$20 for reckless driving. Others fined were James Murphy, 21, of Leetonia, \$20 for driving left of center and \$10 for driving with an expired operator's license; Donald J. Czech, 21, of East Liverpool, \$20 for reckless operation; Garland S. Allison, 26, of East Liverpool, \$10 for a stop sign violation; and Dean J. Bowman of Lakewood, \$20 for speeding.

New Spinnet Piano \$450 Beautiful walnut Gulbransen with bench complete and delivered. Last one I have — First come, first served. No repeat offer on this. J. Rinkenberger. ED 7-7634. Ad.

1951 Chevrolet Convertible for sale. Very low mileage, excellent condition. Dial ED 7-6506, or can be seen at 180 Vine St. Ad.

Sale of Household Goods Also some antiques. Wed. from 10 a.m. - 4:30 p.m., 179 Sharp St. Ad.

# NEW TAX RATES SHOW RISE

## City's Water Reservoir Holds Year's Supply Now; '54 Revenue Sets Record

As the city's water revenue soared to an all-time high in 1954 and the pumpage for the year surpassed 1953's, Superintendent of Utilities

## Mayor's Office Audit Is Begun

### State To Determine Exact Burglary Loss

A state examiner began a special audit yesterday to determine the exact amount of money stolen from a safe in Mayor Dean B. Cranmer's office last month.

P. L. Orange, a member of State Auditor James A. Rhodes' staff, began an examination of Cranmer's records covering the period from Sept. 1 to the present. Orange spent several weeks here during the late summer and at that time completed a regular audit of all city financial records up to Sept. 1.

According to figures released by the mayor following his discovery of the theft Dec. 19, \$3,585.60 was stolen when a combination filing cabinet and safe was forced open and ransacked. The money represented three weeks of November receipts from the mayor's court and sale of city licenses.

Presumably, Orange will determine the exact amount of money missing and then submit a report to Rhodes. While part of the stolen money was destined for the state treasury for state highway patrol cases handled by the mayor, it was explained that in any case where municipal funds are missing a state audit usually is performed.

Orange, who was summoned from Ashtabula where he was performing a regular audit, will determine the specific amount missing by checking the records for the period against money on deposit.

Earlier an insurance company which city officials thought held a policy covering \$1,500 of the stolen money reported that the theft was not covered as far as they were concerned. They explained that their policy covered armed robbery but not burglary.

City Solicitor Walter J. Hunston has been studying the possibility that \$1,500 of the money might be covered by the mayor's personal bond.

Mayor Cranmer said he discovered the theft late the evening of Sunday, Dec. 19 when he was called to City Hall to officiate over a state highway patrol case. He found the door to the cabinet open and the safe door missing.

Police, hampered by the loss of the door which is still to be recovered, have been unable to discover any clues. Only smudged fingerprints were found on the filing cabinet.

## Driver Treated At Hospital After Crash

Arthur P. Siewierski, 21, of Mineral Ridge was admitted to Youngstown South Side Hospital following a traffic accident on the West Town Line Road, just west of Mineral Ridge, at 7 p.m. yesterday.

State highway patrolmen said they sent the man to the hospital when they feared he had sustained head injuries in the crash. Authorities at the hospital said the man, suffering acute hysteria, was released this morning.

According to patrolmen, Siewierski's eastbound auto went out of control and crashed off the highway after the driver blacked out at the wheel.

## Health Board May Take Action

# 34 Food Service Businesses Here Without City Licenses

Thirty-four food service establishments in Salem face the threat of losing their licenses unless they obtain new permits, pronto. The old licenses expired Dec. 31.

Dr. R. T. Holzbach, city health commissioner, said today that 30 restaurants, taverns and private clubs where food is served had obtained new licenses, but that 34 others are delinquent.

State law requires that all places where food is served be licensed. Dr. Holzbach warned that the 34

Aubrey Hayes announced today that Salem has a water reserve that would last the city over a year.

According to Hayes, the city reservoir now holds 619,000,000 gallons of water. Based on the average daily consumption of 1,546,700 gallons during 1954, the city has enough water to last 402 days.

During 1954, 564,551,000 gallons were pumped for the city's 4,344 water users surpassing 1953's 550,645,000 gallons by 13,906,000 gallons. The department's total revenue of \$180,222 during 1954 exceeded the record - breaking returns of 1953 by \$815.99.

According to Hayes, his department sold the most water in August when 55,605,000 gallons were pumped, November with 42,615,000 gallons was the low month.

Comparing daily pumpage, 2,242,000 gallons were pumped Jan. 25 to set a high mark; 598,000 gallons Oct. 21 was the year's low.

Hayes explained that the increase in water consumption was caused partially by the addition of 76 new services in the city during the year. Another large factor in the increase, he said, was the Deming Co. switch from wells to city water.

During the year, four new fire hydrants were installed to increase the city's total to 351. In addition four-tenths of a mile of water lines were laid to up the total of mains, ranging from four to 16-inch, to 35.5 miles of lines.

### Reservoir Completed in 1952

At the present, Hayes said, the reservoir is down two feet, ten inches from its 39-foot maximum level. Completed in 1952, the reservoir is supplied with water from the Cold Run and East Cold Run streams near Guilford Lake.

Of the year's total revenue, \$173,201.15 was received from the sale of water while the remaining \$7,020.96 was collected for taps and the sale of pipe. From a revenue standpoint, October with returns of \$19,595.62 was the banner month; May with \$10,950.64 the low month.

The sewage service charge on water bills netted the city \$52,101.58 during 1954. While billing for the old 65 per cent tax was discontinued in February, delinquent payments trickled in all year to account for \$10,957.71 of the total. However, this portion of the money is tied up awaiting a court decision.

Returns from the 35 per cent charge totaled \$41,143.87. One change that occurred in the department during the year was the abolishment of the post of superintendent of water and the creation of the new job, superintendent of utilities. Hayes, head of the water department, assumed the additional duties of head of the sewage department. The move was made to increase the efficiency of the two closely-knit offices.

## Sees Fair Trial

"The court is convinced that there is no merit in any of the complaints made by the defendant; that he was accorded a fair trial by an unusually intelligent and impartial jury, and that the verdict rendered is supported by the evidence adduced upon the trial."

Most of the 41 complaints raised by chief counsel William J. Corrigan, involved matters upon which Judge Blythin ruled during the trial's progress.

Neither Dr. Sheppard nor Corrigan was present when the ruling was entered. Afterward Corrigan told newsmen: "I don't comment on those things, except in court."

## Stole \$1.00 Here 15 Years Ago, Returns It

An envelope with an Akron postmark containing a one dollar bill and an unsigned note was received yesterday by the city water department.

The note explained that the dollar was being returned to replace one stolen at the old water works on State St. 15 years ago.

Explaining that the incident "had been on my mind all these years," the sender said he had reformed and wished to repay his debt.

He said that he took the money from a tin can holding receipts gained from weighing trucks at the old city scales.

Weather-Seal Aluminum Combination windows and doors. Order now, pay in April. Save 30 per cent on heat - enjoy a cooler house in summer with the Roll-A-way screen feature. Jerry Renkenberger. ED 7-7634. Ad.



GETTING DOWN TO BUSINESS — Michigan's new senator, Patrick V. McNamara, of Detroit, stoops to use a telephone in the senate office building suite he's taking over. McNamara, a Democrat, went around to the office to pick up his mail and discovered there was no furniture in the room, only telephones.

## Lausche Names Lisbon Native As State Finance Director

COLUMBUS, Ohio (AP) — Gov. Frank J. Lausche today appointed John M. Wilcoxon as state finance director to replace the late Herbert D. Defenbacher.

Lausche, a Democrat, said he

## Sheppard Loses Bid For Retrial

### To Try Again Saturday With 'New Evidence'

CLEVELAND (AP)—Dr. Samuel H. Sheppard, under a life prison sentence in the killing of his wife Marilyn, has lost the first round of his fight for a new trial.

Late yesterday Judge Edward Blythin ruled there was "no merit" in any of 41 complaints of error in the 10-week trial which ended Dec. 21 with a jury convicting the 31-year-old osteopath of second-degree murder.

### 2nd Round Saturday

Another round in the fight for a new trial — in which Sheppard would again risk death in the electric chair — is scheduled for Saturday. Then Sheppard's lawyers get a hearing on their motion based on "newly discovered evidence."

Until it is held by Judge Blythin, an appeal to higher courts must wait.

Concluding a 15-page memorandum for the record, white-haired Judge Blythin wrote:

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## March Of Dimes Appeal Is Made By Mayor

An appeal to citizens of Salem to help restore polio patients to health was made today by Mayor Dean Cranmer.

The mayor issued a public proclamation declaring January as March of Dimes Month.

### Special Offer

8 months Readers Digest, \$1.00. New Sub. only. Other specials also. Dial ED 7-3921. Leda McCurdy Ad.

Triem Magazine Service, Ad.

## 40 Districts In County Have Higher Millage

### Salem Up .40 Mills; Knox, United School Areas Among Highest

Columbiana County Auditor I. J. Vorndran today announced the new (1954) tax rates based on budgets submitted from the various subdivisions and results of the November election for operating levies.

Salem's tax rate will be up .40 mills to 2.72.

Rates increased in 40 of the 51 subdivisions, decreased in six and remained the same in five. They dropped 1.80 mills in Wellsville City, one mill in Wellsville City school district, and .40 mills in Unity Local School District.

County Treasurer Vincent C. Judge said the tax collection will start Feb. 1.

Some of the highest tax rate jumps are in Knox Local School District with an increase of 2.60, United Local School District, 2.40, Rogers village, 2.20 and Franklin Local School District and Summitville 2.20 each.

Tax rates according to townships with the 1954 rate first and the 1953 rate in parentheses are:

Liverpool Township: East Liverpool City School District, 23.40 (23.00); East Liverpool 27.00 (26.60).

St. Clair Township: Beaver Local School District, 24.40 (22.20); East Liverpool City School District, 23.00 (22.80).

Middleton Township: Beaver Local School District, 24.40 (22.20); Negley School District, 21.00 (21.00); Rogers village, 27.00 (24.80).

Unity Township: Unity Local School District, 21.60 (22.00); Fairfield Local School District, 21.60 (21.60); New Waterford Local School District, 24.60 (21.20); New Waterford village, 25.40 (23.00); East Palestine School District 21.00 (20.80); East Palestine City 24.20 (22.80).

Yellow Creek Township: Yellow Creek Local School District, 24.20 (24.00); Wellsville City School District, 25.40 (26.40); Wellsville City, 27.60 (29.00).

Madison Township: Beaver Local School District 24.40 (22.20); Yellow Creek Local School District, 24.20 (24.00).

Elkrun Township: Beaver Local School District, 24.40 (22.20).

Fairfield Township: Fairfield Local School District, 21.80 (21.80); Columbiana Exempted Village School District, 22.00 (20.20); Columbiana village, 23.60 (21.80); Leetonia village, 21.20 (21.20).

Washington Township: Yellow Creek Local School District 24.20 (24.00); Salineville Local School District, 23.20 (20.20); Salineville village, 26.40 (21.40).

Wayne Township: Wayne Local School District 23.20 (22.00); Salineville Local School District, 23.00 (20.00).

Center Township: United Local School District, 22.40 (20.00); Wayne Local School District, 23.20 (22.00); Lisbon Exempted Village School District, 23.00 (20.00).

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## Fairfield School Board Re-Elects James Cooper

The board of education of the Fairfield Centralized School District re-elected James Cooper of RD 2, Leetonia president at its reorganization meeting Monday night.

Ernest L. Cope of RD 1, Columbiana, was elected vice president to replace Clark Chamberlain of RD 1, New Waterford.

Thomas Murphy, a Fairfield School teacher, was re-elected clerk. The regular meeting date was changed to the second Monday of each month.

## County Lawyers Urge Judge Retirement Plan

LISBON — Forty members of the Columbiana County Bar Association passed a resolution Monday at the Courthouse supporting a retirement system for Ohio judges.

The regular meeting in Courtroom No. 1 coinciding with the opening of the new term of Common Pleas Court followed a dinner at the Presbyterian Church.

Atty. Devere Grappy of Leetonia, president, was in charge.

## Happy New Year Folks!

Start the year by having your dry cleaning done at the National Dry Cleaners for top quality and service.



## Creator Of Stereophonic Sound

## Man With 'Golden Ear' Has Sound Approach To Business

By WARREN BENNETT  
NEW YORK (AP)—A man with a sound approach to business is Hazard E. Reeves, who possesses one of the most cultivated "golden ears" in the country.

In high fidelity circles, an expert who can distinguish the delicate nuances of sound by ear in much the same way a wine connoisseur identifies vintage years by taste is given the accolade of "golden ear."

Reeves is the creator of stereophonic sound systems for both Cinemascope and CinemaScope the two big, curved - screen techniques which revolutionized the ailing movie industry and gave it a needed shot in the box office. He is president of Cinemascope, Inc.

He is called "Buzz" by intimates, a somewhat improbable nickname for a dedicated sound engineer whose ear is so sensitive he is driven almost frantic by the fuzzy tones in what many people consider good recorded music. Turn on a juke box and Reeves shudders, gets up quickly and walks out.

This lanky 6-foot South Carolinian probably has a finger in more economic pies than anyone since Little Jack Horner. He didn't get that way by sitting in a corner.

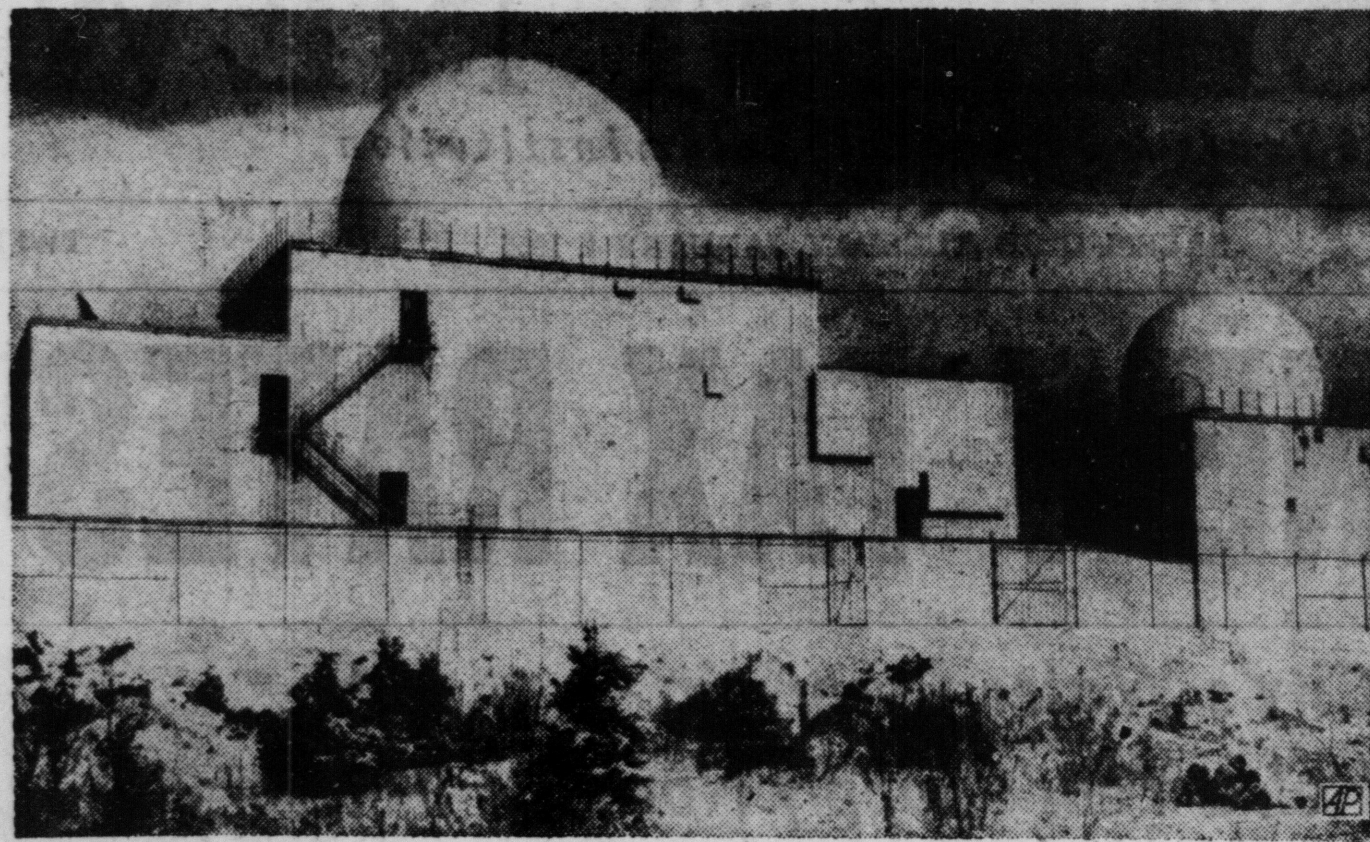
For 27 years, Reeves has buzzed around starting or acquiring more than 20 corporations which turn out such varied products as precision sound equipment, TV tubes, plastic toys and marine wire cables.

During the war, he organized Reeves Instrument Co., now the Reeves - Ely Laboratories, to tackle military electronic research. By V-J Day, he had a backlog of 35 million dollars in orders, more than 6,000 employees and four Army - Navy "E" awards.

He has specialized in making sound tape, film and discs for the radio, television, movie and recording industries. But the roster of firms he founded or took over includes Audio Devices Corp., Preview Theaters, Hudson - American Corp., Winsted Hardware Manufacturing Co., Reeves - Hoffman Co., Bergen Wire Rope Co., Tele-Video Corp., Air Design Corp. and Waring Products Co., started originally by bandleader Fred Waring.

Reeves is in the chip-heavy income bracket today but he had to start from scratch, a harsh word certain to grate on his sensitive ear.

Perhaps his outstanding characteristic is "scientific curiosity" developed to an amazing degree.



**RADAR STATION IN CANADA.**—This radar station at an isolated and snow-swept spot is typical of many built in the North and along the Canadian-United States border to detect aircraft. Sensitive instruments in the rubber-coated domes send and receive radar transmissions.

Show him anything new and he immediately starts to spark. He probes around, conducts experiments, gets out a slide rule and starts figuring production costs. Soon up pops another Reeves enterprise.

He has, of course, made mistakes and some were dillies!

He dropped nearly half a million dollars in television. Several years ago he bought rights to a projection device with the expectation that TV would move in the direction of images projected on a big screen from a small picture tube. When the trend developed the other way, he tried to recoup by hastily buying a new big - tube process. He marketed his picture tubes only to discover they blacked out in home sets after only three months' service. Almost half his losses came from replacing the defective tubes with others of standard make.

Reeves also lost \$50,000 when the government turned thumbs down on Columbia Broadcasting System's TV color process. He had produced the first 11 TV - color cameras for CBS under its mechanical color patents.

On his 120 - acre estate at Franklin Lakes, N. J., Reeves has a global shortwave transmitter and possibly one of the most elaborate hi - fi outfits in the country. But like other hi-fi enthusiasts, Buzz has his troubles. When Mrs. Reeves objected to multiple loudspeakers cluttering up the living room, he concealed some in special bookcases, hid another in a built-in corner cabinet. Even so,

his wife made him shift the biggest speaker out to the sunporch. Said she couldn't stand the noise.

## U. S. To Pay 2 Million For H-Bomb Damages

TOKYO (AP)—The United States has agreed to pay two million dollars for damage caused by last spring's H-bomb tests at Bikini Atoll, the Japanese Foreign Ministry announced today.

During negotiations lasting several months, Japan had demanded up to seven million dollars. Radioactive ash from the March 1 test showered 23 Japanese fishermen. One died and the others have been hospitalized almost continuously since returning to Japan. Japan also complained that tons of radioactive fish have been destroyed and fishing operations in the Pacific hampered.

## Funeral Director Can't Find Cemetery

FULTON, Ky. (AP)—Funeral Director Paul Hornbeak says he can't find the cemetery where he's been asked to bury the body of Thomas Ernest Jordan, 82, who died last week in St. Petersburg, Fla.

Instructions with the body requested that it be buried in the Jordan family cemetery, believed to be in the Jordan Station vicinity. Hornbeak said he had located two distant cousins of Jordan, but neither knew where the cemetery was. He did not say what he planned to do now.

## Bodies Of 2 Girls Found By Hunters

BECKLEY, W.Va. (AP)—The bodies of two schoolgirls, last seen in the remote, heavily wooded area near their Egeria, W.Va., home last Nov. 1, were found last night by two hunters.

Sheriff John C. Ward said Irene Agee, 8, and her sister Mary, 6, were found about 1½ miles from their home. He said they apparently had died from exposure.

About 25 feet away were their coats, head scarves, lunch kits and two letters they had picked up at the post office on their way home from school.

Organized searches had been conducted in the mountainous area for several weeks.

## Pennsylvania Judge Has Court In His Bedroom

NEW BLOOMFIELD, Pa. (AP)—A central Pennsylvania judge who suffered a heart attack five weeks ago is holding court in his bedroom. He says it's slightly complicated but entirely legal.

Judge Harry B. Crytzer, head of courts, explains it this way:

He is authorized to do court work in his chambers that ordinarily would be done in open court. The obvious exceptions are jury cases and procedures calling for more than one judge on the bench. Since the courthouse has no judges' chambers, Judge Crytzer uses part of his home for court work. In this way, his home passes as an office, in which court work may be done legally.

## TWO ASPHYXIATED

CANTON, Ohio (AP)—Bodies of Harry D. Martin, 18, and Roscoe Mathes, about 20, were found Monday in a third floor apartment. Coroner E. B. Mozes said he believed death resulted from asphyxiation.

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## TO REDESIGN STORE

CLEVELAND (AP)—Halle Bros. Co. has announced plans for a million dollar redesign of its downtown department store. Walter M. Halle, president, said improvements would make shopping easier

for customers by realigning store facilities to provide faster service and greater convenience.

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# Assembly Gives Clerk Pay Hike

Cloud Takes Gavel As House Speaker

COLUMBUS, Ohio (AP)—The 101st General Assembly met yesterday and immediately became embroiled over the Senate clerk's salary.

The Senate clerk is Thomas E. Bateman of Columbus, perennial choice of Senate Republicans.

Last session, he got \$720 a month. A resolution offered as soon as the Senate convened jumped his pay to \$950 a month.

Both Republicans and Democrats expressed unhappiness over the 25 per cent raise.

But Democrats were reluctant to make an issue of the pay raise. They had not been informed in advance of the increase.

According to plan, C. Stanley Mechem (R-Athens) was named president pro tem of the Senate and Roger Cloud, Logan County Republican, was named House speaker.

Senate Republicans, who plumped 26-2 in a caucus for the Senate clerk's pay raise, also put through an increase of from \$400 to \$550 a month for Ellsworth (Jack) Lett, assistant clerk. But the only Republican to oppose Bateman's raise on the floor was Sen. Ross Pepple (R-Allen).

Several House Republicans were surprised at the size of the raise granted Bateman. But in the same breath they indicated that if the Senate clerk could get such an increase, so could the House clerk.

The salary of House Clerk Carl Guess, which matched that of the Senate clerk in the 100th General Assembly, is still open.

Republicans control both houses of the Legislature.

The speaker of the House during the 100th General Assembly, who turned over the gavel to Speaker Cloud yesterday was William Saxbe, Mechanicsburg Republican.

Saxbe made an unsuccessful bid last spring for the U. S. Senate nomination, and in the process, skipped the race for Ohio representative. He now returns to private life.

Both houses complete organization work today. Tomorrow they begin introduction of bills.

Gov. Frank J. Lausche, a Democrat, delivers his fifth "State of the State" address a week from today. The message will be delivered to a joint Senate-House session.

A departure from previous sessions—and a hope of a speedup—came in the first use of the electric roll call board in the House. In previous sessions, it took from eight to 14 minutes to call the roll in the House. Yesterday, on one roll call, it took just six seconds. The new system, installed less than a year ago, indicates "yes" votes by a series of green lights and "no" votes by red lights.

New sergeant-at-arms in the House is Mark W. Bennett, a former representative from Hancock County. He succeeds Claude Woodward, another former representative whose home is near Dayton. Woodward was a Senate candidate against Sen. William Tyrrell (R-Butler), but Tyrrell won a second term.

Flowers surrounded some desks as senators and representatives were sworn in.

Among the flower-studded desks was that of veteran Canton Sen. Robert A. Pollack, a Republican. He is beginning his 12th term since 1904, eight in the Senate and four in the House.

With introduction of bills permitted this week, two prime measures were reported ready to hop into the hopper. One would appropriate 10 million dollars for a medium-security penal institution at Lebanon. The other would appropriate more than five million dollars for a mental institution at Cincinnati.

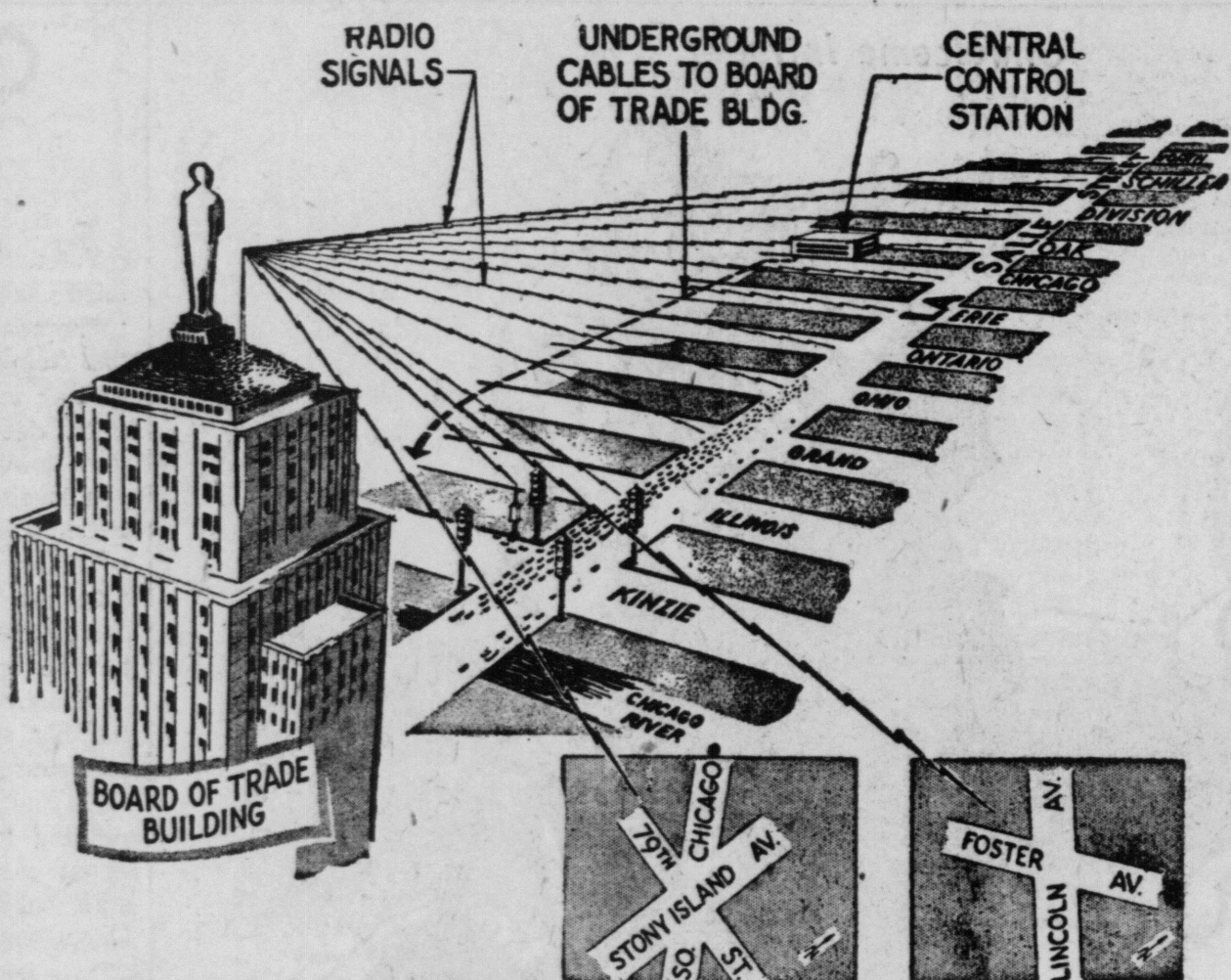
**Earl Warren Sees OSU's Robin Freeman Score**

COLUMBUS, Ohio (AP)—Chief Justice Earl Warren, fresh from witnessing the Rose Bowl victory of the unbeaten Ohio State Buckeyes, last night sampled the basketball power of OSU's Robin Freeman, the nation's leading major college basketball scorer.

The chief justice arrived here by plane with OSU Football Coach Woody Hayes. A delay in plane connections to Washington allowed Warren to sandwich in five minutes of the OSU-Michigan State game. He watched Freeman drop in the first four of 16 field goals. Ohio State won 83-76.

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## Now — Radio-Controlled Traffic

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### Columbiana

## Ground Corps Plans Meeting

Civil Defense Unit To Hear 3 Speakers

COLUMBIANA — Members of the Columbiana Ground Observer Corps will meet in the High School building at 8 p.m. Tuesday, Jan. 11 to hear three speakers from the Canton filter center.

Sgt. James Mullet, who has been here before, will be accompanied by Captain Ceinhol and Lieutenant Ford. A movie, "Face to Face with Communism," will be shown.

Ninety-two pairs of wings will be awarded to observers who have served 25 hours or more, making more than half the total number wings.

More watchers are needed to sign up for one turn a month for the six-hour period from midnight to 6 a.m. Persons interested are asked to contact Mrs. Lloyd Wonseller, Mrs. George Cannon or Mrs. Laura Hamilton.

**MR. AND MRS. S. S. STEWART**, formerly of Columbiana, now residents of the Brethren home, 1005 Hoffman Ave., Windber, Pa., will observe Monday, Jan. 10, the 55th anniversary of their marriage. Mr. Stewart will be 85 years old the same day. Mrs. Stewart, the former Maie Smith of Columbiana, was 84 last Sunday.

Mr. Stewart, who spent his early life in Letonia, served two terms as postmaster in Columbiana, beginning in the first decade after the turn of the century.

Miriam Circle of the Presbyterian Church will meet at the Methodist Church to attend in a group the community week of prayer service at 7:30 tonight. After the service, members of the circle will go to the home of Mrs. William Krotts, 101 N. Middle St., for their business meeting. Hostesses will be Mrs. William Stamets, Mrs. Harry Toot, and Mrs. Robert Barrow.

Rev. F. O. Lillie of the Christian Church will preside at the community week of prayer service in the Methodist Church at 7:30 tonight. Dr. Will W. Orr, president of Westminster College, New Wilmington, Pa., will preach.

**MIKE MERCURE'S** Midway Motors basketball team of New Waterford are scheduled to play Warren Elks, high school coaches and former college players, in Columbiana High School gym at 8

p.m. Wednesday. Midway Motors plan Wednesday evening games here the next few weeks.

**THE HOBBY CLUB** will meet at the home of Mrs. William J. Spinae on Salem Rd. at 1:30 p.m. Wednesday. A project of making costume jewelry will be in charge of Mrs. Clyde Harrold.

Guest night will be observed along with birthday month at the meeting of the Daughters of the King of Jerusalem Lutheran Church at 8 p.m. Tuesday.

Pvt. Kenneth Garrod of the U.S. Marine Corps, who spent the holidays at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Garrod, Unity Road has reported back for duty at Parris Island, S.C. where he will attend a school for members of the drum and bugle corps.

**OFFICERS FOR 1955** will be installed by the Booster Club at its January meeting in the High School building at 8 p.m. Wednesday. D. W. Bailey, superintendent of schools, will be installing officer. Secretary Wilder Foerch requests return of the remaining membership cards sent out so that he can fix up the roll of members for the year.

Towasi Circle of the Presbyterian Church will attend in a group the week of prayer service in the Methodist Church at 7:30 p.m. Wednesday. Hostesses for the business meeting and social hour at the Presbyterian Church after the meeting will be Mrs. Clifford Esterly, Mrs. Jack Cox and Mrs. Regis Boring.

Scientific collection of meteorites did not begin in earnest until after 1803 when a large shower at Laigle, France, convinced men of learning that the bodies were extra-terrestrial.

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## Democrat Sees No Battle With Ike

# State Of Union Speech To Be Well-Received, Legislators Say

WASHINGTON (AP)—Sen. George (D-Ga.) predicted today Democrats will have no "basic disagreements" with President Eisenhower over foreign, national defense and world trade policies in the Congress session opening tomorrow.

George, in line to become the chairman of the Senate Foreign Relations Committee, spoke out after Republican legislative leaders predicted the President's State of the Union message will be "well received" by the country.

Saying he doesn't believe it contains anything new or startling, Sen. Knowland of California, the GOP floor leader, said he thinks the message "will be well received by the Congress and the people."

Eisenhower gave GOP leaders a preview of the message at the White House yesterday.

The President was said to be stressing in the message a new defense concept in which proposed military manpower reductions would be offset by the employment of new weapons and closer links with America's allies.

The manpower cuts, already announced, have brought Democratic demands for a review of over-all military policy.

Eisenhower was represented as taking an optimistic view of the nation's long range economic prospects and was said to be emphasizing in the message plans to advance the health and economic welfare of the country.

Some lawmakers said the message was being redrafted into the final form before the President's scheduled delivery at a joint session of Congress Thursday. Radio and television networks will carry the speech.

Senate and House Democrats and Republicans planned separate meetings today to settle on party floor leaders, with no upsets or contests in prospect.

The new Congress convenes at noon tomorrow, with the Democrats taking over control and then marks time until the President's message a day later.

Without direct reference to the message, George said in an interview that unless something unforeseen develops, he believes relations between the Democrats in Congress and the White House will be good.

"On the foreign affairs, international trade and national defense programs, I do not think there will be any basic disagreements with the President," he said. "Perhaps there will be arguments over some details. But I do not anticipate sharp, fundamental differences over even most of the domestic program."

George said he will not push in 1955 for tax-cutting increases in personal income exemptions of the kind he sought unsuccessfully last

year. He said he believes exemptions should be raised, but not until greater progress has been made toward balancing the budget.

Predicting a prosperous year at home, George said he believes the "prospects of peace are certainly somewhat clearer and better than in the past."

## Bricker To Try Again To Get Amendment OK

NEW YORK (AP)—Sen. John W. Bricker (R-Ohio) says he'll try again to get Congress to approve his amendment limiting the President's treaty-making powers, which was defeated in the last Congress.

He said in an interview in the current issue of Newsweek magazine he would be willing to discuss "alternative language" with the President.

### LINEMAN ELECTROCUTED

LANASTER, Ohio (AP)—Robert Markwood, 24, Lancaster lineman, yesterday was electrocuted while working on a 72,000-volt line at the Boys' Industrial School south of here.

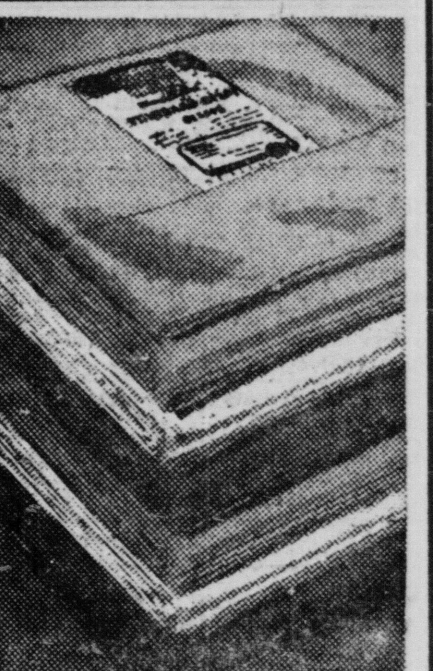
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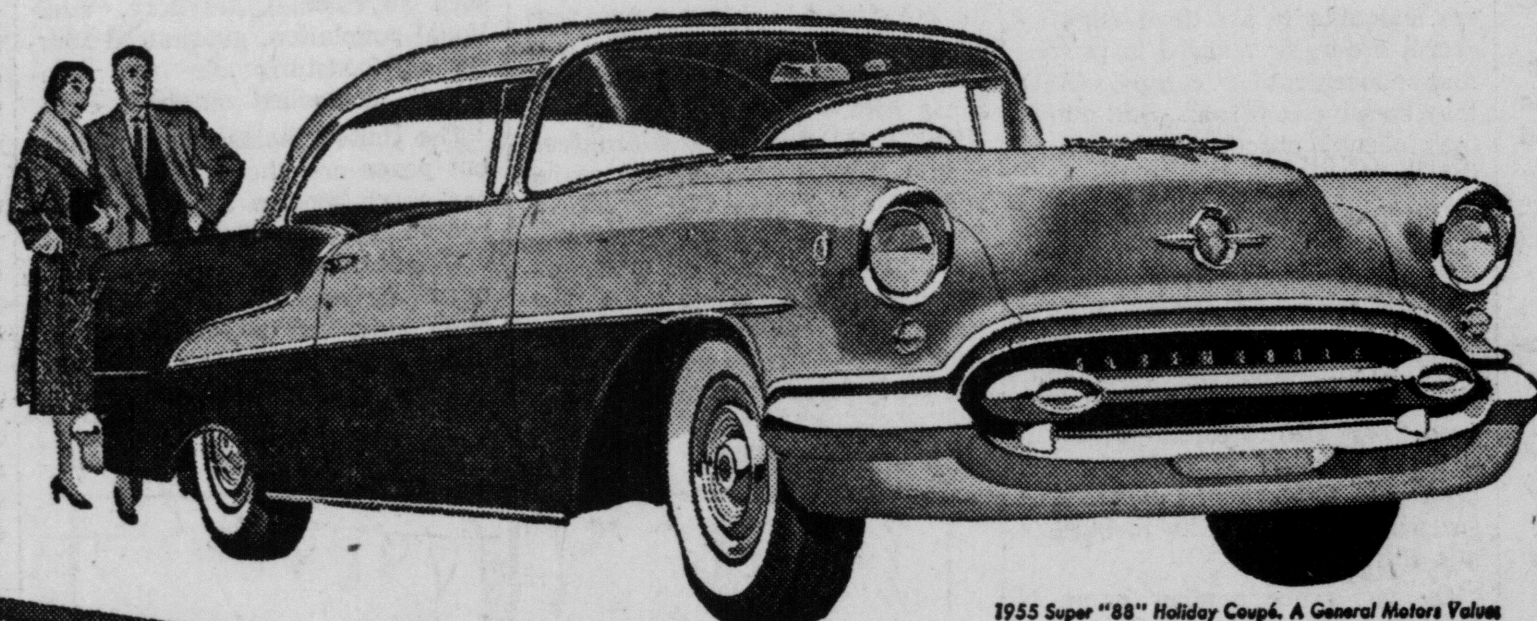
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## Too Much Confidence

The Federal Reserve Board has let it be known indirectly that it will clamp down on credit if stock-market borrowing continues to increase.

This is an indirect warning to persons using credit for investment and speculation in the stock market. The next step would be a direct warning. The third and final step would be an increase in short-term interest rates, which is the way the Federal Reserve Board would be able to restrict the use of credit.

Behind this is a paradox of apprehension because of too much confidence. The American people as a whole never have believed more firmly in the free enterprise system than they do right now — and for an obvious reason.

When the beginning of World War II ended the long depression of the thirties, millions of Americans doubted that it could have been ended by anything but a major war.

When World War II ended, Americans were told by many voices in government that a vast program of public works would be the only means of averting a renewal of depression. When the slump of 1949 occurred, what the voices said promised to be true; it looked as though the postwar buying spree had fizzled out.

The Korean War and a rearmament program changed that. But by the close of 1953, with the Korean war over and the rearmament program slowing down, the prophets of economic collapse were back in business again. They said 1954 would prove that the United States could not make economic headway in peacetime without calling in the state socialists to doctor up the economy with their nostrums.

But the prophets weren't taken seriously. The United States had its best peacetime year and expects to have a better one in 1955.

Americans are confident they can have both peace and prosperity. They are confident about themselves and about the free enterprise system. They are showing their confidence by their activity in the stock market.

The trick is to keep confidence from out-distancing financial reality.

## What There 'Oughta Be'

Proposed laws will bloom like flowers in the spring, tra la, in the next few weeks. Lawmakers in Washington and the various state capitals will count the day wasted when they have no new laws to offer.

Sharing the same attitude, many executive officers of government will count the day wasted when they can think of no new law to press on legislators. And hundreds of lobbyists and individuals will be pressing, too.

There oughta be a law. . . legislative season, therefore, that there 'oughta be a proper thought at the beginning of a year of something besides new laws to mark the passage of another year. The greater part of legislative wisdom sometimes lies in letting things stay as they are.

Good laws are declarations of principles supported by general agreement. They are the basic rules of the game of living together and should not be changed whimsically. Wise legislators never change them at all, unless they are sure of sufficient support to make the changes enforceable.

Lawmaking is a responsibility to let well enough alone as well as to be endlessly engaged in proposing the passing more laws. Some of the most valuable legislators became that way by adhering to the rules that learning how to vote "No" was the most enlightened way to look after the public good in an era of irresponsible legislation and interminable litigation.

## Half A World Apart

The prospect that Dag Hammarskjöld can persuade the authoritarians in Peking to release the 11 U.S. airmen and the other prisoners they are holding is no brighter than it was before Chinese Premier Chou En-lai said on Friday that the U. N. secretary general would be received as a negotiator.

But before giving up all hope and especially before saying that Hammarskjöld's failure would be a death blow to the United Nations, critics of this diplomatic maneuver would do well to acknowledge that the alternative to the Hammarskjöld mission isn't a bright prospect, either.

The alternative is no diplomatic contact with Peking at all.

Beyond that there would be nothing but frustration as far as negotiation is concerned, or the military action being urged on the Eisenhower administration by people who do not share the administration's misgivings about going to war over a matter that couldn't be settled by war.

If Hammarskjöld fails, nothing has been lost that wasn't already lost.

If he succeeds, something has been gained. Red China cannot live half a world apart from the rest of civilization indefinitely. This is its chance to prove it is ready to move a little

## Test Of Sincerity

By DAVID LAWRENCE

## Senate Resolution Makes Filibuster Censurable

An acid test of the sincerity of the Democratic members of the Senate will come when the Congress reconvenes this week. For, a few weeks ago, they voted solidly without a single exception to condemn speechmaking that tended "to obstruct the constitutional processes of the Senate."

The Leadership Conference on Civil Rights comprising 52 national religious, labor, civic, fraternal and veterans' organizations has issued a statement in effect calling upon the Senate to obey its new ethical precept by permitting the rules of the Senate to be revised by majority vote at the opening of its new session.

The Leadership Conference didn't mention the resolution whereby Sen. McCarthy was "condemned" for "obstructing the constitutional processes" of the Senate but it did say that, since under the Constitution each house is empowered to "determine the rules of its proceedings, this must mean that the majority of the Senate of each new Congress has the constitutional right to adopt rules of proceedings unfettered by the rules of any preceding Congress."

The statement further points out that unless this is done, 42 senators who were not in the Senate in March 1949 when the present rules were adopted "will be unable to exercise their constitutional right to have a voice in determining the rules which will govern the proceedings of the Senate for the next two years."

THE DECLARATION by these various organizations — which include the National Association for the Advancement of Colored People, the American Jewish Congress, the Catholic Interracial Council, the American Veterans' Committee, the Americans for Democratic Action, the AFL and the CIO — is obviously aimed at the filibustering tactics of the southern Democratic senators who in the past have insisted that a two-thirds vote is required to change the rules.

They could easily filibuster against such a change if filibusters are still moral and ethical. But the language of the Senate resolution condemning Sen. McCarthy clearly implies that hereafter all forms of obstruction to the legislative process are censurable.

How can senators, whether they be Republicans or Democrats, refuse in good conscience now to prohibit filibusters — a speech-making process cloaked in the insincerities of so-called "unlimited debate" — when they have just

gone on record so flatly against "legislative obstruction?"

Everybody knows that there is a majority in Congress in favor of the passage of laws prohibiting any form of racial discrimination in employment or in the use of public facilities but while such bills can pass the House of Representatives they can be blocked in the future, as they have been in the past, by the filibuster in the Senate.

NO SENATOR'S mere refusal to accept a congressional committee "invitation" to testify nor any senator's speech calling somebody else harsh names can possibly be as damaging an obstruction to the legislative process as is the modern filibuster which defies the spirit, if not the letter, of the Constitution itself.

The statement by the Leadership Conference on Civil Rights puts the issue this way:

"Eventually majority rule will prevail in the United States Senate. Of that we are confident. Whether or not this can be accomplished at the beginning of the 84th Congress, it is vitally important that the issue be clearly drawn. Responsibility for blocking civil rights legislation and for subjecting other legislation to the continually overhanging threat of a filibuster will thus be placed clearly in the record and in the minds of the American people."

It is well known that the Communists abroad have made much propaganda out of the failure of our Congress to pass legislation enforcing the 14th Amendment to the Constitution which provides for equality of citizenship.

WILL THE DEMOCRATIC party in the South now be accused by its brethren from the North of being the "unwitting handmaidens" of the Communists? Or will it be implied through inaction that any senator can obstruct the legislative process and go unpunished or uncensured so long as he doesn't fight Communists in government? That's the dilemma which now can be posed.

The northern Democrats tried in January 1953 to get the rules changed by a majority vote only to be defeated by a faction of northern Republicans voting with the southern Democrats. After the adoption of the resolution against McCarthy, however, the 67 senators who voted to condemn "obstruction of legislative processes" can hardly have a good excuse for voting against the filibustering device by which Senate rules are palpably abused.

## Missing In Russia

By TOM WHITNEY  
AP Foreign Staff

The road back from Purgeland is a long one, but sometimes the travelers return to Moscow. Many men once prominent in the Soviet Union are missing today. The new year prompts speculation on which of them may be heard from in 1955.

Sometimes the word comes in dramatic fashion. An illustration is the communique last month announcing the execution of a former minister of state security, Victor Abakumov, and five subordinates. Abakumov's name had not been mentioned in the Soviet Union for four years.

Some of the missing Soviet leaders undoubtedly are dead—shot by secret orders or starved in prisons and concentration camps. Others may be alive in prisons. Still others may occupy obscure posts, out of the limelight.

The most famous name among the missing is Lt. Gen. Vassily Stalin, son of Joseph Stalin. Vassily used to command air parades in the capital when his father was alive. It's possible he commands some obscure air base in a distant area. It's also possible he is in prison. Probably he knew much about the network of intrigue that surrounded the Kremlin in Stalin's last days.

On this score another name is important, Alexander N. Poskrebysh, head of Stalin's personal secretariat. He knew some of the darkest secrets of the Soviet dictator.

Westerners have speculated that Poskrebysh's hand may have pulled the strings of the notorious "Doctors' Plot." His story must be a fascinating study in intrigue and the fate of the great in Russia.

Shortly after the arrest of Lavrenty Beria in June 1953, Col. Gen. P. A. Artemiev disappeared. He was former commander of the Moscow military garrison. Missing along with him are the former commandant of the Kremlin, Lt. Gen. N. K. Spiridonov, and the former commandant of Moscow, Lt. Gen. K. R. Spiridonov.

Among missing politicians is V. M. Andrianov, former party boss in Leningrad, missing since November 1953, when he was booted from his job by the present party boss Nikita Khrushchev. There are also G. A. Arutunov, former party boss of Armenia, and the former premier of Azerbaijan, Mi Bagirov, both believed to be friends of Beria. The Premier of Beria's native Georgia, Valerian Bakradze, is another man never accounted for.

Here are just a few others missing:

A. A. Kuznetsov, protege of Andrei Zhdanov, onetime Politburo member who died in 1948.

Stepan Mamulov, onetime deputy minister of internal affairs.

Nikolai Voznesensky, member of the Politburo, chief of the State Planning Commission, purged in 1949.

## So They Say

If President Eisenhower can conclude a nonaggression pact with Sen. (William) Knowland, and if we can find some means of peaceful coexistence with a large segment of his party, I think he will find us Democrats easy to get along with.—Adlai Stevenson.

The CIO believes a guaranteed annual wage is economically sound and morally right.—CIO President Reuther.

I think . . . we had better devote our attention to getting more people in the Republican Party, rather than inviting any to get out.—Senate GOP Leader Knowland.

## SIDE GLANCES

By Galbraith



"There's the old Dad says we would have been able to afford a drink if he hadn't had five daughters!"

## Unwelcome Intruder

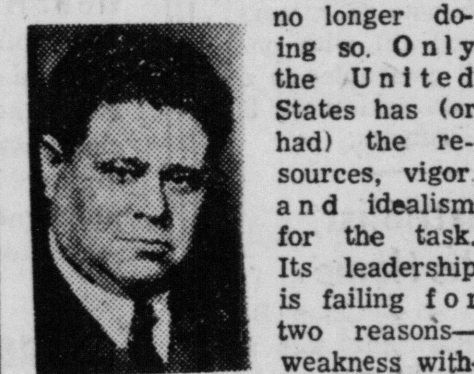


## Leadership Of The World

By GEORGE SOKOLSKY

Last summer, The Manchester Guardian said:

"Only the United States can lead the Western world, and it is no longer doing so. Only the United States has (or had) the resources, vigor and idealism for the task. Its leadership is failing for two reasons—weakness within the administration, and an honest divergence of view between America and the other Western nations. . ."



The essential fault in their logic is that the question is not asked whether the American people are anxious or desirous or even willing to assume for a protracted historic period the responsibilities and obligations of world leadership.

While it may be true that some political leaders and a few publishers of newspapers and magazines are all excited about the United States leading the Western world, by and large the American citizen finds that his country has been worked into a position that brings to him only high taxes, high cost of living, a depreciated currency and the constant probability of war.

HE DOES NOT like it. He is tired of war. He is tired of the constant talk of war and communism and Russia. He wants to return to the simplicities of American living.

World leadership realistically can be handled only by a country that wants something concrete, such as colonial territory, additional population, guaranteed sources of foodstuffs and raw materials, controlled markets, etc.

The United States wants nothing but peace and the American mind has never become adjusted to the politics of war. Perhaps that is why our intelligence services have never matured and why we are so often surprised by the course of events, as apparently our government was when Mendes - France

got a bad vote on the German question.

The American prefers to do his business forthright and direct and when he tries to be devious, as he needs to be in world leadership, he often becomes ludicrous. He finds it difficult to weigh traditional hatreds against the necessities of finding a way to peace. It is the ingenu playing the heavy.

The Manchester Guardian does discover a little of American public opinion when it says:

"The United States — both its government and apparently most of its people — believes that negotiation with the Communists is a dangerous waste of time. This view is shared by no other major government in the West. . ."

IT DOES NOT matter that that view is shared by no other government in the West; it is enough for most Americans to recognize that we were gyped at Teheran, Yalta, Potsdam, Geneva and Panmunjom and that an agreement with the Russians may be violated even while it is being negotiated. To use the vulgar language of trade, the Russians have no line of credit in this country and nobody can establish such a line but the Russians themselves. As popular as President Eisenhower is, most Americans would distrust the results of his attending a Four Power Conference.

This is particularly true as one of the objectives of such a conference would have to be to find a way to placate Soviet Russia and Red China by a seat in the United Nations.

The formula is already available, namely, that two Chinas are to be recognized, Red China and something that the Western nations like to call the Republic of Formosa, which does not exist and cannot exist without violating the sentiments of every Chinese on Formosa, on the mainland and overseas.

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## Made In U. S. A.

By TRUMAN TWILL

Within two months, I have gleaned about dissatisfied customers who have had trouble with defective washing machines, stoves, electric mixers, electric toasters, rotisseries and automobiles.

My contacts with these people were not forced. I wasn't trying to prove anything. It was no public opinion poll, just proximity that caused me to start wondering about mass production after hearing their tales of woe.

Where is the quality control that made American gadgets the pick of the world? The Japanese, after all, could whack out cheap-jack stuff as fast as it ever was whacked out in America.

"But 'Made In Japan' became a warning to wary buyers, whereas 'Made in U.S.A.' became a sign of quality, accepted as an implicit guarantee against defective workmanship.

I am not complaining about anything just wondering. In every case I have heard about, except one, dealers and distributors went to bat heroically to cover up for the manufacturers' slipshod work. The exception was a television set that turned out to be a complete do-do. The hapless purchaser was left high and dry.

Perhaps he was in the wrong; that's always possible. Maybe he mistreated the appliance. But he thinks he was played for a sucker — and that's bad business. He thinks a business concern took his money under false pretenses, then gave him a run-around under a policy of hard-boiled ruthlessness. Confidence in American-made products wasn't built that way.

Every time a retailer or whole saler must cover up a goof to appease a dissatisfied customer, someone pays extra for what it would have been cheaper to do right in the first place. If there's anything to one man's impression that it's taking a lot of covering up to keep customers satisfied, some gents with a sense of respon-

sibility had better call in some of the irresponsible help and address them as follows:

"Listen. It's easier to do things the right way than the wrong way. That's efficiency. That's how we make our living.

"We are on trial every minute of every day. All we have that no other has been able to match is efficiency. That's the secret of quality production in America.

"Every time we goof, there goes efficiency. We goof too much. We act as if we didn't care. We take the attitude we've got it made and no one can take it away from us. "No one else can take it away from us. But we can take it away from ourselves. We are pilfering our own pockets. Every article we put together wrong is a mistake we must pay for. All of us. Let's put it together right in the first place."

If no one knows what else to say, here's a dissatisfied customer that would be glad to say something about fouled-up appliances that slip through.

They don't deserve to be labeled "Made In U.S.A." They're a disgrace to American efficiency and pride of workmanship.

## Thoughts For Today

Night and day praying exceedingly that we might see your face and might perfect that which is lacking in our faith?—I. Thess. 3:10.

Prayer is not conquering God's reluctance, but taking hold upon God's willingness.—Phillips Brooks.

## Barbs

Thieves dug up and hauled away the grass on a golf course green in Florida. Amateur golfers will take care of the other greens.

A pessimist is any person who thinks there is more than enough trouble to go around — and goes around talking about it.

## Once Over

By H. I. PHILLIPS

## Hold That Mood

Yuletide should be followed, we think, by a third holiday nationally proclaimed as a "Where-Do-We-Go-From-Here-Day" . . . a day free from sentimental stimulation. We would bar special music, all TV and radio treatments, gifts, decorations, bawls, pageants and parties. It would have as its national theme "Were you leveling?" The idea would be to induce a checkup by man on his sincerity.

On the Monday morning after the New Year Joe Doakes, lifted through one wonderful week by the spirit of the season, brushes off the mood abruptly, takes off the whiskers, effaces the big smile, throws away the magic wand and stomps back to "business as usual."

He can even scribble notes on his desk-pad reading "Make up for lost time." See man about carting off Christmas tree." Get office staff back into mood of efficiency." Give stenographer subtle hint holidays are over," and "Turn bad accounts over to more aggressive lawyer." There isn't a "Noel!" left in his system. The words "very" and "merry" are out, perhaps for a year.

Nowhere is there the splendid glow of the season's deathless songs. Scrooge stages a comeback. A Santa Claus appearing in any office gets the heave-ho. Anybody sticking his head into home or shop and blowing a tin horn brings a call for the squad cars.

The wife asking her husband to help dismantle the tree gets a rough "Who me?" Countless trees that were handled with reverence a week ago are already in the ashcans, upside down, stripped and desolate looking.

How many people are gripped by the shell of a cluster of colored lights, except in a delicatessen sign? Into what dark recesses of the cellar today is the angel who topped the Christmas tree?

In how many churches have the words "Let the Manger remain in place a little longer" gone unnoticed? Where is all the glorious glow the season from mid-December to January 1?

Pretty much lost, if you ask us. Hence the need for a day to be set aside a week after the New Year as a sort of "Hold-That-Mood-Day." Or even a longer period observed as "Was The - Fast - Brushoff - of the Yuletide - Spirit - Necessary - Week."

Jackie Gleason began 1954 with one bad ankle in the hospital but finished with both feet in the mint. . . We hear that a big Detroit auto company is to produce a new model with the BUILT-IN COMEDIAN . . . Incidentally Walter Reuther is reported coming up with some caustic remarks about the big money paid comedians the next time he fights for a few more cents an hour for the men who make the cars. Stockholders are expressing more or less concern, too, and we hear one voice a fear the directors would one day send him a TV program instead of the regular dividend.

Arthur Godfrey now owns his own 18 million dollar hotel at Miami Beach and two things must worry him: (1) What will happen when the place is so crowded he has to deny a sponsor a waterfront room; (2) how will he feel the first time a guest demands coffee instead of tea?

There's a pocket radio that tells man when he is wanted on the telephone. . . Ownership of one of these can make life pretty unsatisfactory at ball games, poker parties, etc.

The TV "Strike It Rich" program must get a license in New York City, a judge recently ruled, stating that it was a very involved question presenting many difficulties. The judge, we take it, had more trouble answering questions than most of the program contestants.

Soviet Russia is frowning on skyscrapers. . . Holds elevators are capitalistic, no doubt.

George Gobel, a fine new TV comedian, now has four writers and we view this with misgivings.

## Looking Backward

FROM THE NEWS FILES

FIVE YEARS AGO — Gail Roose, Jr., student at Penn State College, Pa., is spending the holidays with his parents, Dr. and Mrs. Gail Roose of E. State St.

Mr. and Mrs. Willis W. Satterthwaite and son, Newlin, of Atlanta, Ga., have concluded a visit with Mrs. Mabel Satterthwaite of Ellsworth Rd.

Bobby Stratton, Beverly Stanley and Janet and Floyd Warrington returned to Barnesville Tuesday to continue their studies at the Friends Boarding School.

TEN YEARS AGO — Virginia Hollinger of Salem and Lucy Logan of Kinsmore, senior honor students in home economics, have been chosen to attend Merrill - Palmer school in Detroit.

Raymond Stiver of the Ohio Bell Telephone Co. today was named Columbiana County chairman for the March of Dimes campaign scheduled Jan. 14-31.

Mr. and Mrs. B. D. Brunner and sons entertained at a dinner recently. Guests were Dr. and Mrs. Donald Greenamyer of Detroit and Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Greenamyer of Alliance.

TWENTY FIVE YEARS AGO — Helen and Lois Walton of Winona returned Saturday from Florida where they spent the holidays. Mr. Walton is a teacher at Ashtabula.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Fultz, newlyweds, were surprised Friday evening when employees of the Deming Co. office gathered at their home, 502 E. State St.

Webb Mulford of Salem is among the new students admitted to Ohio State University for the winter quarter, which begins Monday.

FORTY YEARS AGO — A bill is to be introduced in the house requiring fishermen to take out a license.

As a result of the annual election of the board of education held Monday evening, L. B. French will continue as president of the board for the coming year. It was decided that if the senior class should take up trigonometry as a half-year study the board agreed to let them do so.



# City Council Solved Sewage Problem In '54 Looks Ahead To New Projects

By JACK VARLEY

Coupled with legislation that saw a "new" State St. completed, Salem City Council's biggest achievement of 1954 was probably the action taken to finance a \$750,000 sewage extension project.

Surrounded by debate and court action, a method of financing was finally decided when \$775,000 in mortgage revenue bonds were put up for sale procedure. The move necessitated an increase in the city's sewage service charge from 35 per cent to 53 per cent.

What will the present Council of four Democrats and three Republicans accomplish in 1955 to compare with the bond sale and the State St. widening?

Some of the things that undoubtedly will come up for consideration during the next 12 months are —

Another through street to speed east-west traffic in the city and completion of the Pigeon Road bypass. The latter would connect Routes 14 and 45 and would be used to detour truck traffic around the city. Federal aid undoubtedly will be sought for both projects.

HOWEVER, BEFORE any such assistance can be secured, the city must have a master-plan of intended traffic — control improvements. Council, in cooperation with the Columbiana County Automobile Club and safety committees of local civic clubs, is expected to move in that direction in the near future.

In process now, a survey of city sidewalks will be continued with a report due early in the year. Presumably, on the basis of the report, some property owners will be asked to replace hazardous sidewalks.

Improved street lighting for the city will be studied with the possibility that overhead lights like those in use on State St. from Vine to Highland Avenues will be installed.

Recreational facilities, especially at Zelle Field where expansion is anticipated and at Kelley Park where improvements are in the speculative stage, will be given attention. In the same field, action will be sought to determine whether to open the city reservoir for fishing. Also the possibility of adding a recreational site in the south part of the city will be viewed.

GARBAGE TRASH collection and disposal will be studied by Council. The city may grant a franchise to one concern which would be responsible. One Council

spokesman expressed the hope that the city's present collectors would band together to form a concern. However, outside companies will be considered, he said.

Akin to the problem of collection is that of disposal. Heading the list of possible means at the present is the land-fill method where the refuse is dumped in a trench and covered with dirt. Numerous old strip mines in the area would provide an excellent receptacle if that method were adopted.

A controversial holdover from 1954 council action, an ordinance to increase the size of the police department will fight its way to legislative attention.

City Safety Director Richard J. McConor recently asked that two new patrolmen and an officer be added to the force. Quoting Federal Bureau of Investigation figures, McConor said the size of the city's law enforcement agency was inadequate for the population. At the same time, he requested that the heads of both the fire and police department receive an increase in salary.

Also for the police department, Council will be asked to consider trading the three-wheeled motorcycle in for a surplus army jeep and adding a \$150 radio receiver for increased police radio coverage.

FROM THE FIRE department, Council will receive a request to consider the possibility of purchasing a 75-foot aerial truck that Fire Chief Clarence Wright deems a necessity to protect the city's taller buildings. Salem voters declined to finance such a vehicle at the November 1953 election.

The safety committee of Council will insist on stricter enforcement of traffic laws in the city and will also contact the state asking for directional markers to be attached to route signs throughout the city. More turnpike directional signs also will be requested.

A proposal to install yellow lights on the downtown State St. traffic signals also will come before the same group. According to the idea, the signals would be turned on caution at midnight, allowing for a continuous flow of vehicles when traffic is light.

ANOTHER HOLDOVER from 1954 will be a curfew ordinance written to compel teen-agers to be home by a certain hour. Tabled last May after much controversy, it was rejuvenated in November as a result of a morals case that resulted in 24 Salem teen-age boys being censured by Juvenile Court.

Following charges that an attempt had been made to pressure the press "to soft-peddle" the case, the legislative research committee of Council was activated.

Directed by Council President James Aldom as chairman, the seven-man committee will delve into the case and juvenile delinquency in general. Modeled after the federal Hoover commission and the state legislative research commission, the committee will dole out particular aspects of the study to various committees composed of citizens familiar with a particular side of the problem. The sub-committees will then report to the parent group who will correlate the studies and report to Council.

The same committee, following its study of juvenile delinquency, is expected to guide the creation of a master traffic plan for the city. Arthur Hanna and Louis Colian represent Council on the committee, Aubrey Hayes, and Oscar McCammon the city and Lloyd Gordon and Daniel Weber, citizens.

SEATED JAN. 1, 1954 the Councilmen started off with verbal blasts at each other that lasted most of the year until mid-November when Council, the Utilities Commission and the Manufacturers Association agreed to increase the sewage service charge to 53 per cent.

Prior to that time, general agreement existed on the need for extended sewage facilities, but heated debate surrounded the means of financing the \$750,000 project.

At first, the Democratic majority in Council proposed to sell \$325,

000 in mortgage revenue bonds based on the 35 per cent tax they had reduced from 65 per cent earlier in the year. The remaining \$450,000 was to be obtained through the issuance of general obligation bonds. Placed on the November ballot, the issue was dragged into court. Charges were leveled that Council had passed legislation with certain "irregularities." Common Pleas Judge Joel H. Sharp agreed, permitted the issue to be voted on, but said the bonds could not be sold until a higher court ruled on his decision.

At the polls, the bond issue was defeated by the slim margin of 90 votes.

Later in the month, Council got together and in rapid succession voted to pass a \$775,000 mortgage revenue bond issue for sewage, hired the New York firm of Malcolm Pirnie Engineers to complete detailed plans for the project and created the new post of superintendent of utilities.

Former Superintendent of Water Aubrey Hayes assumed the new post after his old job was abolished.

While ground work for the State St. improvement was begun under the former administration the necessary legislation for the project was enacted by the present Council. Coupling the \$80,000 job with the downtown district, Council members passed measures that resulted in the opening of "new" State St. in late November.

## Ex-Football Star Tackles Man Attempting Robbery

LOS ANGELES (AP)—Dick Hyland, former Stanford football star and now a Los Angeles Times sports columnist, downed a would-be robber with a flying tackle.

Hyland said the man, brandishing a .45 automatic, accosted him as he parked his car at his West Hollywood home and demanded his money. Hyland tackled him and fought for the gun.

The gunman fled without the money after hitting the sports writer on the head with the weapon. Hyland was not seriously hurt.

## 2 Girls, 11, Held For Delivering Numbers Slips

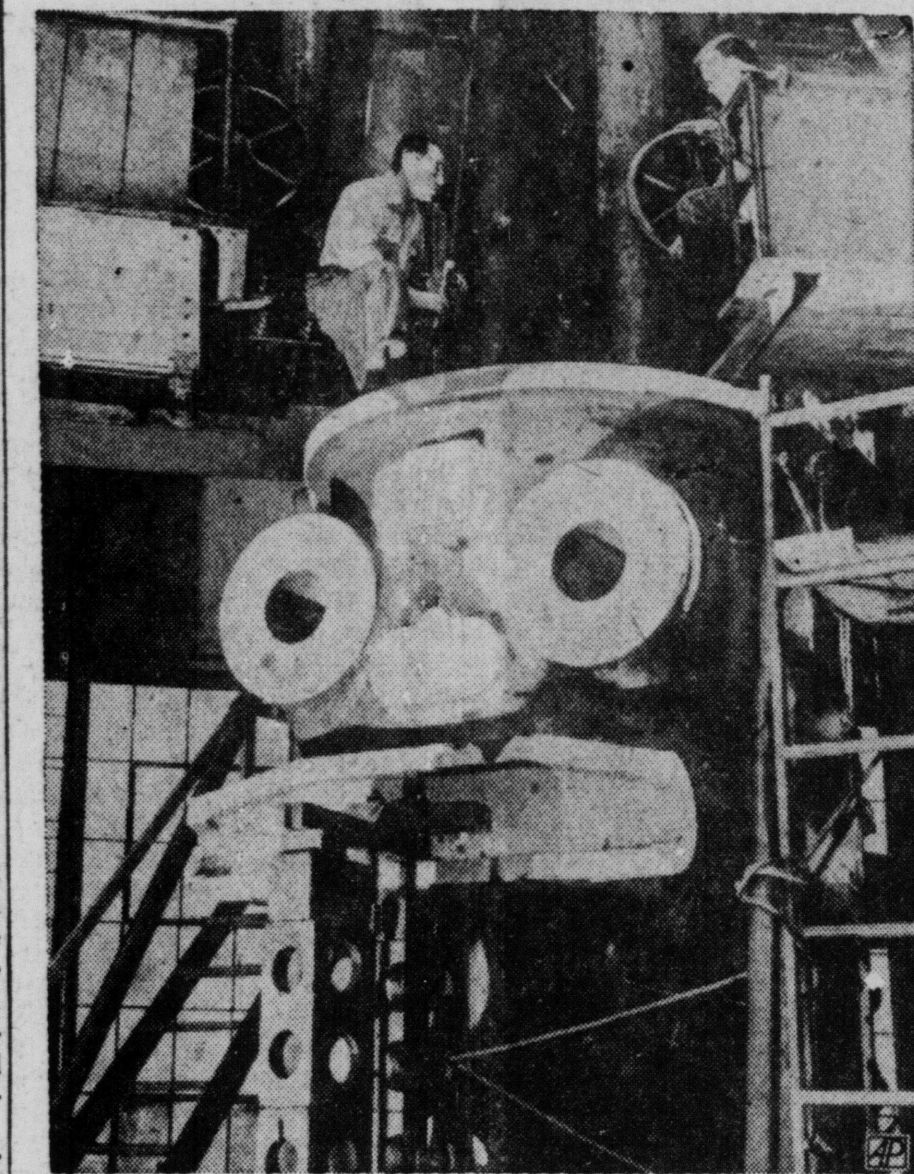
PHILADELPHIA (AP)—Two 11-year-old girls whom investigators said delivered numbers slips to a vacant house daily for the past two weeks were apprehended by police yesterday.

The youngsters said they were paid \$3.25 a week to a man named Mike to drop packages into a fire bucket at the vacant house. They also told police they gave one girl's mother \$2 each after payment. The mother was arrested in lottery charges.

## Child Saves 4 Younger Tots From Home Fire

RIPLEY, N.Y. (AP)—Seven-year-old Mary Swan dropped her four younger brothers and sisters out a second-story window and then jumped to safety herself as fire, started by a wood-burning stove, leveled their farm home yesterday.

None of the children, including a 6-month-old infant, was burned or injured seriously in the 15-foot plunge to the muddy ground. The parents, Mr. and Mrs. Norman Swan, were on a trip to Union City, Pa.



**DON'T LOOK NOW, BUT YOUR FACE IS SHOWING.**—You are seeing things. This steel mask actually is the top half of a turbine high pressure shell which is being machined on an 18-foot boring mill at GE's Schenectady, N. Y., plant. Mouth-like opening admits initial high pressure, high temperature steam from the boiler into the turbine. The steam is then returned to boiler for reheating and is readmitted to the turbine via two eye-like openings. "Face" surfaces have been whitened to facilitate laying out locations for subsequent machining and drilling operations. Giant shell weighs 60,000 pounds and is more than 11 feet long.

## Sailor Pleads Guilty To Slaying Girl, 6

EBENSBURG, Pa. (AP)—A 39-year-old unemployed sailor has pleaded guilty to a general charge of murder in the "trick-or-treat" pre-Halloween slaying of 6-year-old Karen Mauk.

Judges Ivan J. McKenrick and George Griffith yesterday ordered Harry Gossard committed to Torrance State Hospital for mental observation.

The court said testimony will be taken to determine the degree of guilt after the hospital reports on Gossard's mental condition.

Karen's body was found in a cemetery not far from her home near Johnstown shortly after she left to participate in Halloween games last Oct. 29. The coroner said she was strangled.

## Man Won't Pay for Food, Eats Hamburgers In Jail

CHICAGO (AP)—A young man stopped in a Loop restaurant last night, ate a big dinner and then ordered four hamburger sandwiches to take home.

When the waitress, Miss Milliecent Yaler, handed the bill of \$4 to Robert J. Smith, 26, he said: "I haven't got that kind of money!" He ran into busy Randolph Street with Miss Yaler after him, calling for help.

Policeman Carl Dobrick caught Smith, but no one at the restaurant would sign a complaint. Police hadn't decided if they would charge him with anything or let him go.

Smith, meanwhile, sat in his jail cell, ate the sandwiches and went to sleep.

## PAINTER DIES IN FIRE

AKRON, Ohio (AP)—Fire raged through a five-room building last night, killing a man tentatively identified as Maurice Williams, 38, an unemployed painter. An overturned oil lamp started the blaze, firemen said.

## Paper Offers to Buy Its Own Copies for 10 Cents

PUEBLO, Colo. (AP)—The Pueblo Chieftain and Star-Journal Publishing Co. has offered to buy back copies of its own newspapers for 10 cents apiece. All copies of Sunday's special New Year's edition were snapped up within a few hours. Now the Chieftain and Star-Journal need additional copies to fill mail orders which have been pouring in.

## Nationwide Weather

By The Associated Press

	High	Low
Akron, rain	43	38
Atlanta, cloudy	72	50
Boston, cloudy	41	32
Chicago, cloudy	46	41
Cincinnati, rain	56	47
Cleveland, cloudy	46	40
Columbus, cloudy	48	43
Denver, clear	40	28
Indianapolis, rain	53	46
Los Angeles, clear	56	43
Miami, clear	77	64
New Orleans, clear	76	56
New York, cloudy	47	43
Pittsburgh, rain	45	—
Tampa, clear	79	54
Toledo, rain	50	39
Tucson, rain	64	43
Washington, D. C., clear	56	42

# Asks Subversive List Be Revealed

## Senator Seeks Probe On Firing Of Workers

WASHINGTON (AP)—Sen. Mansfield (D-Mont) called today for a Senate investigation to disclose publicly "the exact number" and the names of subversives stripped from government payrolls by the Eisenhower administration.

Mansfield's request came in a letter to Sen. Olin D. Johnston (D-SC), prospective new chairman of the Senate Civil Service Committee. Mansfield made the letter public.

Yesterday, the Civil Service Commission, reporting on operation of the security program during its first 16 months, said 8,008 federal employees had been dropped as security risks, 2,096 with "subversive data" of varying kinds in their files.

Besides indications of subversion, the security program lists as grounds for dismissal perversion, criminal conviction, alcoholism and inability to keep a secret.

Mansfield and a number of other Democrats have called the figures a "numbers game" and contend they fail to show how many government employees were actually fired for subversive associations or activities and how many resigned before their cases were finally decided.

Sen. McCarthy (R-Wis), meanwhile, said in response to a question that he regards it as "unusual in the extreme" that the latest report included no figures for the Central Intelligence Agency. He declined to elaborate.

A report on the security program three months ago listed 75 separations by the CIA—all but one resignations and none in the "subversive data" category. Yesterday's report said it was deemed "not . . . in the public interest" to announce CIA figures.

Mansfield said in an interview that government workers' personnel files are filled with data, much of it unevaluated, collected from both reliable and unreliable sources. He wants to know, he said, how many of the "subversive" separations from government involve persons who:

1. May have been fired for some totally unrelated reason but whose file might contain unevaluated "subversive" information.
2. May have resigned to take a better job elsewhere without being aware that their personnel files contained unevaluated information indicating subversion.

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# Social Affairs

## Rev. and Mrs. Hunter Feted On 25th Wedding Anniversary

Rev. and Mrs. R. J. Hunter were guests Sunday at a celebration in honor of the couple's 25th wedding anniversary in the First Baptist Church.

Over 200 members of the First Baptist Church congregation feted the couple at a dinner in the church following the morning worship services.

Gracing the tables upon which a huge wedding cake was centered were white vases covered with

ivy, a bouquet of 25 rosebuds and silver-bellied napkins. A silver box enhanced by a bell and tied ribbon which contained silver dollars completed the table decor.

George Bailey, Jr. was toastmaster and the gift presentation was made by Rev. E. L. Greer, former pastor of the Locust Grove Baptist Church. A blessing was offered by Rev. Greer.

Choral renditions by the Junior and Senior choirs comprised the short entertainment program under the direction of Daniel Hollaway and Mrs. Joseph Barnes.

Married Jan. 2, 1930, Rev. and Mrs. Hunter are the parents of three sons: Phillip, a senior at Western Reserve University; Richard, junior at Salem High School, and David, a Fourth St. School student.

Arrangements for the affair were arranged under the direction of the Philathea Class and Mrs. Carey Jackson. Rev. and Mrs. Hunter are teachers of the class.

Flowers were gifts of the deaconesses and Leon Colley. Cakes were donated by Mrs. A. R. Talbot, Mrs. Haidee Cunningham and Mrs. L. F. Morningstar.

### Engagement Revealed



Miss Barbara Maronde

Mr. and Mrs. William Maronde of 142 Idlewood Rd., Youngstown announce the engagement of their daughter, Barbara Mae to Lloyd Dale Morrison Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Dale Morrison of 179 Rose Ave.

No date has been set for the wedding.

Miss Maronde is a graduate of Youngstown East High School, and is employed in the office of the Century Food Markets there. Her fiancé, a graduate of Salem High School, is with Gray's Auto Stores.

Merle Marietta, student at Ohio State University, his wife, the former Wanda Lee Roach, and their children, Connie, Rodney and Billie, spent the holiday season with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harrison Marietta of Kensington, and Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Roach of Hanover. They returned to Columbus Sunday.

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### Miss Nancy Howell, Bride-elect, Feted

Miss Nancy Howell, whose marriage to Robert Hickey will be an event of Feb. 19 in St. Paul Church, was showered with miscellaneous gifts at a party last Thursday night arranged by Miss Johanna Kieffer in the Ward Kieffer home on W. 10th St.

Twenty-two guests brought gifts for the honoree and they were wheeled in in a hostess cart. A pink and white color scheme was used. A large green umbrella and two small ones on the refreshment table were arranged with roses and carnations.

Serving lunch were Mrs. Keiffer and Mrs. Karl Howell. Games entertained and prizes went to Miss Joyce Cosgrove, Miss Gretchen Bodendorfer and Miss Judy Tame.

### Betrothal Is To'd



Miss Jane Longanecker

Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Longanecker of Washingtonville announce the engagement of their daughter, Jane to Henry Guy, son of Mr. and Mrs. Russell Guy of Negley.

Miss Longanecker, a graduate of Leetonia High School, class of '53, is employed in the law office of Hunston, Atkinson and Lower. Mr. Guy is employed at the Gilson-bakery in East Palestine.

The wedding date has not been set.

### Miss Beard Betrothed To Hubert Keylor

Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Beard of Lisbon Rd. announce the engagement of their daughter, Dorothy Jean, to Hubert Keylor, son of Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Keylor of Columbiana.

A student at Kent State University, Miss Beard was graduated from Columbiana High school. Her fiancé is attending Ohio State University.

A date has not been set for the wedding.

## Anniversary Is Observed Quietly

Mr. and Mrs. Charles H. Shears quietly observed their 50th wedding anniversary in their home on 612 Jennings Ave. on New Year's Day.

Married Jan. 1, 1904 in Salem, the Shears have resided in Salem since. No special celebration was planned for the couple's golden anniversary due to Mr. Shears' health. Gifts of flowers, cards and telephone calls were received.

Assisting in arrangements for a dinner on Saturday night were the couple's three children, Mrs. George Frank of Alliance, Harold Shears of Salem, and Kenneth Shears of Boardman.

Out of town guests were Mr. and Mrs. Charles Branfield of Masury, Mrs. Ida Hughes and Mr. and Mrs. Paul Senich of Youngstown; Mrs. Icy and Mrs. Gertrude James of Boardman.

Mr. Shears was employed by the Deming Co. for 43 years prior to his retirement two years ago. The couple are members of the First Methodist Church where they have been active participants until recently.

The couple have seven grandchildren.

### Lakeside Mothers Unit Ends Holiday Program

Georgetown area Lakeside Mothers of the Ohio Child Conservation League completed the donation drive among club members Dec. 20. The drive was a part of a community Christmas cheer project.

Ending the Christmas activities, the program included the making of Santa Claus favors for children's wards in Salem City and Central Clinic Hospitals and the Alliance Memorial Hospital; a cash donation to the welfare of children; and a gift to the Fairmount Children's Home.

Rev. Donald McGarrah, pastor of the Homeworth Presbyterian Church, will speak on "My Child Questions Death" at the Wednesday, Jan. 12 meeting in home of Mrs. Kenneth Kandle in Homeworth.

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### Is Recent Bride



Mrs. Emmor Snyder

The open house reception planned by Mr. and Mrs. Fred W. Snyder for Sunday in their home at 443 S. Lincoln Ave., will introduce their son and bride, Mr. and Mrs. Emmor Snyder, to friends and relatives.

The Emmor Snyders, who were married Monday, Dec. 27 in the rectory of St. Paul Church, will greet their guests from 2 to 4 and 8 to 10 p.m. The bride, the former Dana Rice, is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. D. E. Rice of E. 5th St.

### 85 Couples Enjoy Elks Club Dance

About 85 couples danced to the music of John Fowler's orchestra Friday night when the Elks Lodge gathered for the annual New Year's Eve party.

A purple and white decorative scheme prevailed and guests were presented with favors. Breakfast was served to all the guests prepared by the ladies auxiliary.

Harry Hontz was chairman of entertainment arrangements. Guests were from Youngstown, Alliance, Lisbon, Cleveland and Canton.

### Democratic Women To Meet Wednesday

All members of the Salem Democratic Women's Association are urged to attend an important planning meeting Wednesday at 7:45 p.m. in the Ruth Smucker House. Tickets will be distributed for the Federation of Women's Club benefit which will take place in February.

## Camera Club To Meet Each Wednesday; New Events Set

Beginning Wednesday, members of the Salem Camera Club will meet each week on Wednesday for a three-month trial period of the new schedules.

Regular exhibit nights will be held on the second and fourth Wednesdays, with black and white exhibits on the second Wednesday and color on the fourth.

The other Wednesday evenings will be devoted to lectures, discussions and demonstrations. According to Russell Hannay, president, the business part of the meeting will be cut to a minimum.

Demonstration and explanation of equipment will take place at this week's meeting in the Memorial Building. The public is invited to bring equipment for explanation.

A regular print exhibition is planned for Jan. 12 when the subject will be animals, with first and second prizes in both Class A and B.

Demonstration of sound movie flash photos will be given Jan. 19 and members will discuss experiences with movies and flash pictures.

Color exhibition with animals as the subject will be the topic for Jan. 26. Prizes will be given in Class A and B. Judging, criticism and questions will follow.

A brief schedule for February is as follows: Feb. 2, Fred Puttkamer to show slides of western trip; Feb. 9, black and white exhibit, Christmas pictures subject; Feb. 16, slide demonstration, pictures out-of-doors at night and Feb. 23, color exhibition, Christmas pictures.

W. H. Matthews will show some of his slides at a coming meeting. Floyd Floding will give an exhibition of black and white prints. Anyone with enough slides or movies for a one person show is invited to contact the committee for a showing at a future meeting.

The club members will go to the Puttkamer home in Greenford tonight.

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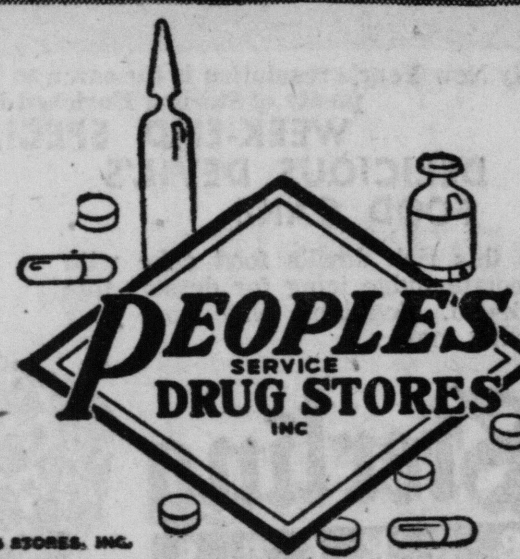
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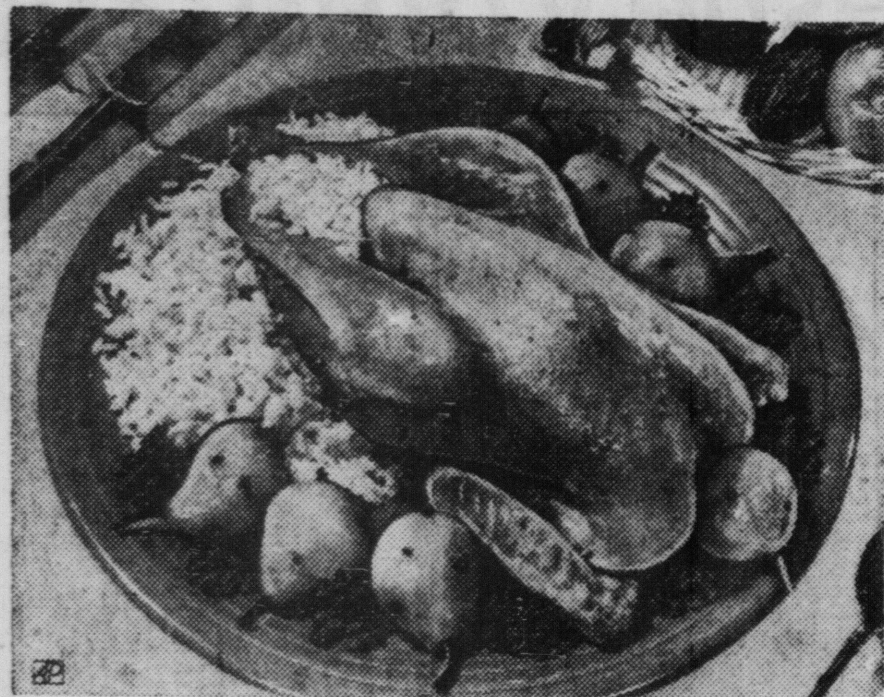


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## Stuffed Chicken Is Thrifty



Neatest cooking trick we've come on lately: stuff a stewing chicken with pre-cooked rice, just as it comes from the package, and steam until the bird is fork-tender. The rice cooks just right during the steaming of the chicken. Bring the whole chicken to the table on a platter and listen to the applause from delighted eaters. To give the rice delicious flavor, it has onion, celery, parsley and poultry seasoning added. But one caution: don't use regular raw rice in this recipe because it will not work the way pre-cooked rice does.

So take advantage of thrifty stewing chicken — otherwise known as hen — and do try this recipe. Although the hen has firm muscles, the moist-heat method of cooking assures tender juicy meat. Just be sure you use a tight cover. The rice stuffing is economical, too, because it does not call for butter or margarine. Weight-watchers will like this feature!

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By ANNE ADAMS

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Mix rice, celery, celery leaves, onion, parsley, 1 teaspoon salt, pepper and poultry seasoning. Spoon into body cavity of chicken. Truss chicken, as for roasting, with skewers laced with chicken cord or sew with strong white thread and large needle.

Place stuffed chicken breast side down in heavy kettle. Add 1/2 cup water and 1/4 teaspoon salt for each pound of chicken; put gizzard, heart and neck in water in kettle. (Do not add liver — cook it separately.) Bring water to boil quickly; reduce heat, cover tightly and simmer until tender — about 3 hours.

Turn chicken when half cooked so breast is up. Test the chicken for tenderness by inserting a fork into the thickest part; the fork should pierce the meat easily to the bone.

Remove chicken from kettle, drain well and place on platter. Makes 5 to 6 servings. Refrigerate strained broth, gizzard, heart and neck for later use.

If the small size of chicken specified in recipe is used, some of the stuffing may be spooned into the neck cavity; after stuffing, pull the neck skin back and fasten with a skewer.

### Winona

Mr. and Mrs. Gilmer Coffee were hosts at a family gathering on Christmas day. Present were Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Camp, Donald Coffee of Kent University, Miss Jane Coffee of Indianapolis, Ind., and Mrs. Mary Jant Coffee, who recently returned from Casper, Wyo. where she had spent some time with her son and her son's wife, Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Coffee. Mr. and Mrs. Ray Camp were hosts to the Coffees at Sunday dinner.

Mrs. Sina Megrahl was a Christmas Day guest of Mr. and Mrs. John Hanna at Damascus.

The Alfred Fowler family dinner included as guests Mr. and Mrs. Howard Morgan and sons Dale and Gary of RD Alliance and Mr. and Mrs. Reber Heacock and son, Lee.

Twenty-eight members of the Methodist Youth Fellowship were present when the James Rhodes home was the scene of a Christmas party. Members enjoyed caroling as a group and a gift exchange. Mrs. Wilford Brantingham is the director. Miss Sylvia Brantingham was hostess to the group when they went caroling on Dec. 22.

Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Edgerton and family of Leetonia were recent guests of Mrs. Edgerton's mother, Mrs. Nova Andre.

Carl Siple was host to friends Wednesday evening at a party arranged in honor of Larry Dusenberry, Dale Her and Gail Murphy. The affair was attended by 22 persons. The honored guests recently completed basic training in the service and are at home on leave during the holidays.

Guests at a family dinner at the



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Arthur Loudon home included children and grandchildren. Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Yarian of Marion, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Loudon and family of Youngstown, Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Loudon and Russell Loudon of Akron, and Mrs. Loudon's sister and her sister's husband, Mr. and Mrs. Merlin Cameron and children Patricia and Jim of Homeworth.

Sunday evening guests of Mr. and Mrs. Wilford Brantingham were Mr. and Mrs. Donald Gosser of Alliance.

Miss Ruth Rae Mountz visited her brother and her brother's wife, Mr. and Mrs. Wade Mountz at Louisville, Ky. during the holidays.

Mrs. Elizabeth Butcher of Salem is a guest in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Ruble.

Revival services at Friends Church will begin Wednesday and continue through Sunday, Jan. 16. Rev. Owen Glassburn will be evangelist and Paul Roher in charge of music.

Kendall Price, student at Pilgrim College in Allentown, Pa. spent the holiday vacation at home with his parents. Mr. and Mrs. Frances Price.

Mr. and Mrs. William Heacock and children, Alfred, Marvin and Dorothy visited Mr. Heacock's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Heacock at Millville, Pa. during the holidays.

### Kensington

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Lintner have returned from a wedding trip. Mrs. Lintner, the former Dana Manfull, and her husband will move into the apartment over the former restaurant in town.

Mrs. Duane Moore of Wellsville and Mr. and Mrs. John Waddell of East Canton were recent visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Weddell, Sr.

Mrs. Cecil Emmons and Mrs. Anna McKnight of Columbus were recent visitors of relatives here.

Mrs. William McGranaham was a Canton caller on Friday.

Mrs. Alice Skelton and Mrs. Nora Cox were dinner guests Wednesday of Mrs. Goldie Anthony.

Attending the coverdinner for Eastern Star officer installation at the Masonic Temple Tuesday evening at Hanover were Mrs. Meda Maple, Mrs. Harry Dorr, Mrs. Nora Roach and Maxine. Present at the meeting following the dinner were Mrs. Cora Archibald, Mrs. Raymond Mehermet, Mrs. Paul Mehermet, and Mrs. Bertha Clark.

Ladies Aid of the Christian Church met Thursday evening at the church annex with Mrs. Lauda Dibble and Mrs. Bertha Clark as hostesses. Thirteen members and a guest were present.

Mrs. Freeman Manfull will entertain at the next meeting.

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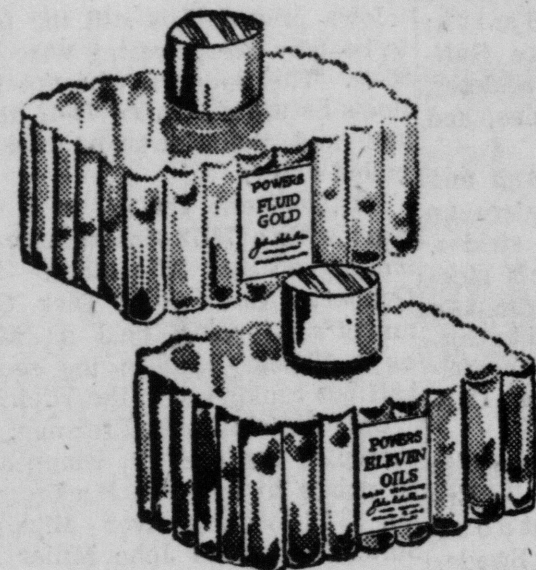
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# Kentucky Again Rated No. 1 Cage Team, Duquesne Voted 2nd

## N. Carolina State Drops To No. 3

George Washington Advances To Sixth

By SHELDON SAKOWITZ  
The Associated Press

For the third straight week, the undefeated Kentucky Wildcats ranked today as the nation's No. 1 team in the weekly Associated Press basketball poll and from all indications they're going to be mighty hard to dislodge.

Of the 116 ballots cast by sports writers and sportscasters throughout the country, 89 named Kentucky as the top team. The Wildcats received 1,090 points and finished more than 200 points ahead of runner-up Duquesne.

The Wildcats have won seven in a row this season after posting a 25-0 record during the 1953-54 campaign.

The rest of the top 10 teams underwent a thorough shuffle as a result of holiday tournaments and a wave of upsets. Only fifth-ranked San Francisco retained the same poll position as last week.

Duquesne (8-1) climbed from eighth to second with 866 points. The Iron Dukes beat LaSalle in the finals of the Madison Square Garden Holiday Festival.

North Carolina State (12-1) dropped one notch to third place, while LaSalle (9-3) slipped from third to fourth. The Wolfpack, with 679 points, were jolted from the unbeaten ranks by twice-beaten Villanova.

George Washington (8-2) advanced from ninth to sixth on the strength of winning the Richmond Invitational. UCLA (9-2) showed the biggest increase, jumping from 15th to seventh. Utah, which didn't play last week, dropped from seventh to eighth.

Missouri (7-2), by virtue of capturing the Big Seven Tourney, vaulted from 11th to ninth. Dayton (8-2) was knocked from the unbeaten last week to fall from fourth to 10th with 175 points.

The leaders, with first-place votes in parentheses:

1. Kentucky (89).....	1,090
2. Duquesne (14).....	866
3. N.C. State (3).....	869
4. LaSalle (2).....	680
5. San Francisco (4).....	515
6. Washington.....	338
7. UCLA (1).....	276
8. Utah.....	269
9. Missouri (2).....	262
10. Dayton.....	175
11. Maryland.....	153
12. Illinois.....	141
13. Minnesota.....	136
14. Iowa.....	120
15. Niagara.....	97
16. Louisville (1).....	40
17. Villanova.....	39
18. Duke tie.....	39
19. Pennsylvania.....	38
20. Notre Dame.....	32
Alabama (tie).....	32
Seton Hall (tie).....	32

## Writer Suggests Several Top-Notch Boxing Matches

By MURRAY ROSE

NEW YORK (AP)—The boxing business may not be loaded with talent but plenty of interesting matches could be made if the managers and promoters get together.

Right off we can think up a number of scraps that could do good business at the box office and would prove a real tonic to the game.

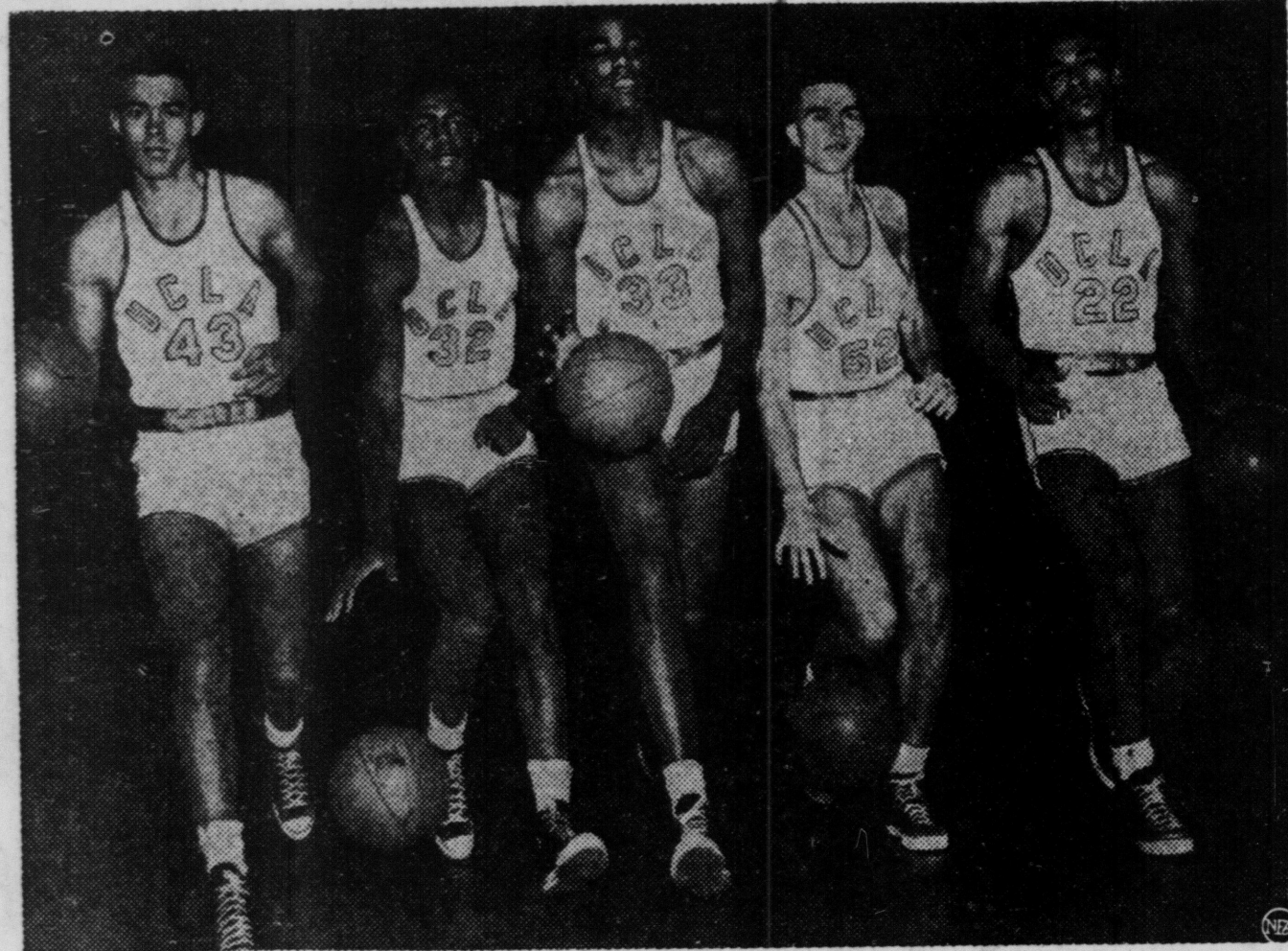
First we'd like to see Paul Andrews, the towering, former paratrooper who blitzed Boardwalk Billy Smith last Wednesday, take on Floyd Patterson, the Olympic middleweight champion who has lost only one professional bout—to Joey Maxim. Andrews also lost to Pal Joey, proving that the aging Cleveland cutie is good for a few more years against the current competition.

Then we'd like to see the winner fight Archie Moore for the title. It's going to take a solid puncher to beat the 38-year-old Moore, and both Andrews and Patterson qualify on two counts—right and left hands.

Another scrap that would come close to selling out Madison Square Garden—television or no—and that would certainly jam the Boston Garden, would match two young, hardhitting welterweights, Vince Martinez, of Paterson, N.J., and Tony DeMarco, the Boston strong boy.

The winner should be matched for a title shot against the survivor of a title fight between champion Johnny Saxton and Carmen Basilio, the No. 1 contender from Castano, N.Y.

If it were just a matter of plain common sense, Cuba's Nino Valdes and England's Don Cockell would be matched to determine the next opponent for heavyweight champion Rocky Marciano. If Archie Moore still bankers for more heavyweights, the ex-fighter who has beaten Archie three out of three.



**DRIBBLING ALONG**—UCLA's football squad, No. 2 in the nation, gave the Los Angeles school's basketball team something at which to shoot. Getting off to a spectacular start in the Eastern Collegiate Athletic Conference's Holiday Festival Tournament, the shooting Uclans appeared equal to the assignment. They are, left to right, Eddie White, Johnny Moore, Willie Naulis, Don Bragg and Morris Taft.

## 4-Minute Mile Possible

## Santee's Bow On Indoor Circuit Promises Good Indoor Track Season

By HARRY GRAYSON

NEW YORK (NEA)—When Glenn Cunningham was around in the mid-1930s, there was talk of a 4-minute mile indoors.

You heard it again when Gil Dadds came along 10 years later. Now Wes Santee makes his bow on boards and the 4-minute mile indoors could very well be attained.

Santee's presence alone assures a tremendous indoor season, with 14 major meets running from the Massachusetts Knights of Columbus Games in Boston, Jan. 15 to the Chicago Daily News Relays, Mar. 26.

Nine or more foreign stars and service men seeking to qualify for the Pan-American Games in Mexico City, Mar. 12-16, swell and spice the fields.

As many as 10 will take a run at Santee in the mile, among them swiftness from abroad—Gunnar Nielson, a Dane; Lucien De Muey, a Belgian; Audun Boysen, a Norwegian; and the Irishmen, Vic Milligan and Ronald Delaney. There also will be Lenny Trux, Freddie Dwyer, Lowell Zellers and old, reliable Fred Wilt.

There should be exceptional time in the middle distances—the 600 yards, half mile and 1000, Mal Whitfield defending his Amateur Athletic Union championship in the latter at Madison Square Garden, Feb. 19.

Rudolph Harvig's world record for 800 meters, 1:46.6, has been seriously questioned since this German, who was killed in the war, established it in Milan in 1939. The mark appeared even more fantastic when in the European Championships in Bern late last August all five finalists bettered 1:48. Two of them, De Muey and Boysen will run here this winter and Szentgala, the Hungarian who won in 1:47.1, has been cleared to come.

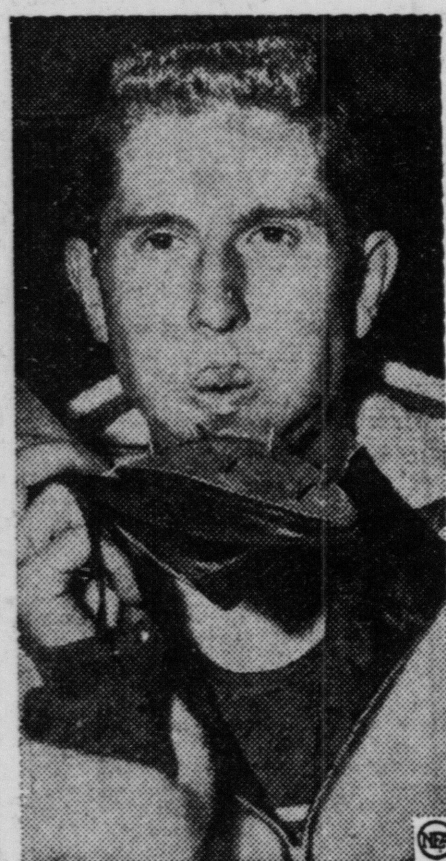
Boysen topped Whitfield's world record for 1000 meters with 2:19.5. Other middle distance flyers who will be seen include George Rhoads, Olympic 400-meter champion; Reggie Pearman, national indoor 600-yard titleholder; the Celts, Milligan, and Delaney; Paul Raudenbush of Pennsylvania; the New York Pioneer Club's Harry Bright; Boston University's Bill Smith; Illinois' Gene Maynard; Joe Gaffney; the U. S. Army athletes, Lang Stanley and Louis Jones; and Carl Joyce.

Arnold Sowell of Pittsburgh and Kansas' Bill Tidwell pick 'em up and lay 'em down in long strides. Curt Soederberg, Sweden's steeplechase champion, is to run two and three miles against such as Gordon McKenzie, Horace Ashenfelter, Curt Stone and Charles Capozzi.

It's touch and go as to who hits 7 feet first in the high jump—Ernie Shelton, national outdoor champion, or Nilsson, the Swede. The latter acquired the European championship with 6-7½, later did 6-11½. He currently has a sprained ankle in a cast, but it may heal in time for him to get in the competition. Herman Wyatt won this event in all indoor meets a year ago.

The only two 15-foot polevaulter active, Rev. Bob Richards and Don Laz, tackle Jerry Wellbourn, Eeles and Don Bragg, the Villanova sophomore who as a freshman did 14.6. Wellbourn topped Richards with 14.9 in the AAU indoor last February, the first time the cloud-jumping parson was beaten in quite a spell. Landstrom beat Lundberg, who has done 14-7 for the European title with the least number of misses.

Lieut. Parry O'Brien broke the



**HOT STUFF**—Wes Santee gives you an idea of how fast he intends to run the mile this winter. His spikes will have to be cooled.

indoor shotput record in the AAU last season with 59 feet 4 inches, did 60 feet 10 inches in a meet in Los Angeles.

Breaking 60 feet is equivalent in the shotput to a 4-minute mile.

## Indiana Halts Losing Streak At 4 Games

CHICAGO (AP)—Indiana snapped a four-game losing streak last night in opening defense of its Big Ten basketball title by crushing an unsuspecting Michigan team, 95-77.

In other conference openers, Ohio State, Iowa and Northwestern all turned in victories.

The Hoosiers, beaten five times in seven pre-conference outings, held a 51-40 halftime lead which Michigan managed to cut to three points but it wasn't Michigan's night.

Indiana hammered 43 out of 59 free throws while center Don Schlundt poured in 30 points.

Iowa proved it is still the team to beat by overpowering Wisconsin 86-69. The Badgers, who upset Illinois Saturday, trailed 45-41 at the half and the Hawkeyes steadily pulled away.

Northwestern got off to a fast start with a 74-72 final-minute triumph over Minnesota. The Gophers, paced by Dick Garmaker's 32 points, held as much as a 10-point lead in the second half but couldn't stop the Wildcats.

Ohio State's Robin Freeman, top scorer in the country, whipped in 39 points to lead the Buckeyes to an 83-76 victory over Michigan State. Teammate John Miller added 22 points while Michigan State's Al Ferrari scored 28.

Purdue rolled to its seventh victory of the season by becoming the first team ever to score 100 points against Bradley. The Bollermakers crushed the Braves 109-92 in a non-conference game.

## OHIO COLLEGE BASKETBALL

By The Associated Press  
Ohio State 83, Michigan State 76  
John Carroll 83, Valparaiso 77  
Baldwin-Wallace 99, Wittenberg 71  
Adrian 80, Youngstown 79

## OTHER GAMES

Duquesne 60, Fort Belvoir 56  
Seton Hall 83, Colby 63  
Louisville 73, Notre Dame 69  
Indiana 95, Michigan 77  
Northwestern 74, Minnesota 72  
Iowa 86, Wisconsin 69  
Purdue 109, Bradley 92

## Talbert Says U.S. To Keep Davis Cup

NEW YORK (AP)—Billy Talbert, the crafty captain of the victorious United States Davis Cup team, settled down in his Wall Street brokerage office today and opined that the coveted trophy should stay on these shores for several more years.

Talbert, accompanied by the cup and Julius Myrick, a representative of the United States Lawn Tennis Assn., arrived home last night. Hamilton Richardson, the national intercollegiate champion from Tulane, went from Los Angeles to New Orleans instead of coming to New York.

"I see no reason why the cup shouldn't stay in the United States for several years," Talbert said. "We still have Richardson available, and neither Vic Seixas nor Tony Trabert intends to turn professional."

"In fact, I'm sorry that Tony and Vic couldn't come back with the cup. They're the boys who did the job."

Seixas and Trabert are staying in Australia to play in some big tournaments before returning home.

"Our boys set out to do a job and they did it," Talbert continued. "They got in top shape and just never let the Australians get the upper hand. It was just a case of Tony and Vic rising to the top of their games. Ken Rosewall and Lew Hoad (the Australians) certainly did not turn flat. Our boys were just too good for them this time."

## Slight Rise In Rate Of Grid Deaths Reported

CHICAGO (AP)—A slight rise in the average of high school fatalities during the 1954 season was reported by the National Federation of State High School Athletic Assns. yesterday.

There were 12 high school football fatalities during the year, the equivalent of 1.9 per 10,000 participants.

H. V. Porter, executive secretary of the group, said that over a nine-year period, the average fatal injury rate for football was 1.4 per 10,000.

"All fatal injuries were to players who were on defense at the time," Porter said. "Nine happened while tackling a runner."

Injuries to the face and teeth, according to a survey, were appreciably lower in 1954, probably because of the increase in use of protective equipment, Porter said.

## Robin Freeman Adds To Big 10 Scoring Lead

CHICAGO (AP)—Ohio State's Robin Freeman stretched his Big Ten scoring lead in the past week while Indiana's Don Schlundt dropped two notches to fourth place.

Freeman added 63 points in two games to run his total to 281 points in eight games.

Schlundt hit for 30 points in Indiana's only game this week but dropped to fourth behind Dick Cable of Wisconsin and Dick Garmaker of Minnesota. Schlundt has 210 points.

Garmaker and Cable are tied for second with 217 points each.

All four leaders with the exception of Garmaker have played eight games. Garmaker has played nine. The totals are for all games played by Big Ten teams.

## STILL SEEK BALL FRANCHISE

KANSAS CITY (AP)—Ray Kennedy, director of personnel for the Kansas City Athletics, said the club's International League baseball franchise was still being sought by Columbus, Ohio, Tampa-Clearwater, Fla., and Ottawa, present home of the minor league team.

Kennedy gave no indication which city would get the team for next season.

## Grady's, Salem Tool, Purity, Loudon Win Basketball Games

Grady's Market defeated the Columbiana Youngs 74-63, Salem Tool ripped Sekely's 55-28 and Purity Dairy downed Mullins 74-59 in Class A City League basketball games at the Memorial Building last night.

In a lone Class B contest, Loudon

Ford swamped Recreation 89-41. Bob Payer paced the Grady's scoring with 22 points and Eddie Jordan added 20 to the winners' cause.

Bill Yoho was high for the Youngs with 21. The Youngs is formerly the Gordon Leather team.

Grady's outscored Youngs in every period although play in the last half was very tight with Grady's tallying 32½ points to the Youngs' 30.

Tom Cope and Ed Boich led the way for Salem Tool's victory with 20 and 16 points respectively. Bill Breih was high man for Sekely's with 12.

Mullins jumped well ahead of Purity Dairy, 21-10, in the first quarter, but the dairy squad rebounded quickly with 27 points in the second quarter while holding Mullins to 10 to take a 37-31 halftime lead. Purity then outscored Mullins in both the third and fourth quarters to build up their lead.

Jerry Mount was leading scorer for Purity, dumping in 27 points and Jerry Ball led Mullins with 15. Fergie Wilson and Bob Kupka accounted for 26 and 18 points respectively in the Loudon victory. Paul DeCola headed the Recreation attack with 12.

Loudon swept off to a 22-2 first quarter lead and steadily built up their margin.

Eljer won on a forfeit last night from Farmers National Bank.

**COLUMBIANA YOUNGS**—63  
Yoho 9-21, Easwin 3-11-17, Sherman 4-1-8, Gustafson 1-3-5, Schellinger 1-1-3, Alexander 1-1-3, Knox 2-1-5.

**GRADY'S**—74  
Carmel 2-2-8, Jordan 9-2-20, Tucker 2-0-4, Pinkerton 5-0-10, Payer 7-3-22, Pridon 4-0-8, Miner 2-0-4, Hoopes 0-0-0, YOUNGS 15 18 18 20

**SALEM TOOL**—55  
Loudon 5-8-18, Wilson 12-2-26, Baker 6-2-14, Paster 2-3-7, Cosky 3-2-8, DeCraw 3-0-6, DeVichio 4-2-10.

**RECREATION**—41  
DeCola 6-12-12, B. Borton 2-4-8, Allison 0-0-0, D. Borton 1-1-3, Harp 2-0-4, Stockton 3-4-10, Squire 0-0-0, Beeson 2-0-4.

**LOUDON FORD**—89  
RECREATION 22 17 23 27

**PURITY DAIRY**—74  
Mount 13-27-27, Davidson 6-1-13, Stille 2-4-8, Weungart 6-1-13, McNeely 5-3-13.

**MULLINS**—59  
Kelly 4-8-8, Enriken 1-1-3, Roelen 6-0-12, Paster 4-4-12, Parlow 0-1-1, Ball 5-5-15, Alessi 3-2-8.

**PURITY** 10 27 19 18  
**MULLINS** 21 10 12 16

**SALEM TOOL**—35  
Cope 5-10-20, Bozich 7-2-16, Wooman 2-0-4, Paster 2-0-4, Abrams 3-1-7, Tingle 1-0-2, Greenstein 1-0-2, Schaeffer 0-0-0.

**SEKELY'S**—28  
Breh 5-2-12, Wyss 1-4-6, Schoen 0-0-0, Barnes 0-0-0, Stefanie 3-0-6, Rutsky 0-0-0, Mosher 1-2-4.

**SALEM TOOL** 26 8 11 10  
**SEKELY'S** 14 2 3 9

## Mohawks Hold Wide Lead In Hockey League

By The Associated Press  
The International Hockey League race is at its halfway mark today and Cincinnati is expected to easily outdistance the competition.

The league leading Mohawks, in 30 games of the 60-game schedule, have won 23, lost 6 and tied 1. Second place Troy is 7½ games behind and shows little prospects of gaining.

The Cincinnatians won three contests last week and the Fort Wayne Komets tagged them with their first tie. The Komets have been the only club to give the Mohawks a fight, winning three and losing three before the deadlocked contest.

However, the Hoosiers have had some difficulties with other IHL members but their week's activities did enable them to climb into a fourth place tie with Johnstown. Fort Wayne can break the tie to night by whipping sixth-place Toledo.

The schedule-makers pushed Grand Rapids into five games last week, with the Rockets coming out on top in two of them, enough to keep third place. One of the losses was to Troy, enabling the Bruins to break a five-game losing streak. The Johnstown Jets skated only in one tilt, a dismal 3-2 edging at the hands of Fort Wayne.

Toledo, in the cellar, lost further ground by dropping two of its three contests.

## DENIES COACHING REPORT

COLUMBUS, Ohio (AP)—John Borton, quarterback and co-captain of Ohio State's football team, yesterday termed "totally unfounded" reports he would join the coaching staff at the U. S. Naval Academy.



**HEIRS APPARENT**—Young Gene Littler, left, and Bud Holscher are the logical successors of Ben Hogan and Sam Snead as the foremost playing professionals. Littler missed tying for the United States Open by a putt. Holscher more recently won the Hawaiian Open with rounds of 65-66-65-66.

## NCAA Rules Group Plans No Changes

NEW YORK (AP)—Following the already established pattern of avoiding controversial issues, the rules committee of the American Football Coaches Assn. was expected to dispose of its business today in short order.

Although there has been considerable talk that the coaches would like to see the current substitution rule relaxed so they could use a few specialists, Coach Lou Little of Columbia indicated there was no strong move for any major rules changes.

Little annually polls the coaches on their reaction to the rules and the results of his circular form the basis of the discussions by the coaches committee. Its recommendations are passed on to the NCAA rules committee, which will meet here next week to decide if any changes are to be made.

Little said the coaches committee might even finish its discussion in half a day, an indication that no major changes have been proposed.

A quick brushoff of the football rules would be quite in line with what already has taken place during the preliminary sessions leading up to the 49th convention of the NCAA and meetings of various allied bodies.

The most controversial subject before the NCAA—one which might have caused a major turmoil in the association—was disposed of rather quietly when the subject of football television was tossed into a roundtable discussion, scheduled for Thursday morning. Although the backers of several proposals, including the Big Ten's national-regional control plan, will get their say on the subject, nothing will be decided definitely at this meeting.

## SAM JETHROE SOLD

PITTSBURGH (AP)—Outfielder Sam Jethroe was sold outright today by the Pittsburgh Pirates to Toronto of the International League.

## Dickson To Be Xavier Coach, Writer Claims

CINCINNATI (AP)—The naming of George Dickson, Notre Dame backfield coach, as the new head football coach of Xavier University is practically a sure thing, Sports Editor Lou Smith wrote in today's Cincinnati Enquirer.

However, Xavier school officials were not as sure as Smith.

If Smith "knows that he knows more than I do," said Mark Schmidt, chairman of the school's athletic board.

The post is open because of the resignation last month of Ed Kluska after a 2-8 season. Schmidt said a successor would not be named until after Jan. 17.

Dickson, 31, was a former Notre Dame teammate of Terry Brennan, head coach of the Irish.

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9 Story

10 Fruit drinks

11 Pause

12 Pillar

13 Cleave

14 Of an age

15 Climbing plant

16 Eternities

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19 Cougar

20 Story

21 Essential

22 being

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26 Babylonian moon-god

27 Birds' homes

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30 Apple-like fruit

31 Egyptian goddess

32 Angers

33 Applaud

34 Slippery

35 Obtain

Questions, Answers

Q — What is Edmund Ruffin's claim to historical fame?

A — Ruffin, an agriculturalist, is said to have fired the first shot at the siege of Fort Sumter—first of the war he killed himself rather than to swear allegiance to the Union.

Q — How many moons has the planet Uranus?

A — Four. A significant feature is that all of the planet's moons revolve backwards.

BLONDIE

By CHUCK YOUNG

HERE'S A BOX OF CANDY FOR YOU BUT DON'T OPEN IT UNTIL AFTER SUPPER

DADDY, DID YOU SAY DO OR DON'T OPEN IT UNTIL AFTER SUPPER?

I SAID DONT

ELMER, YOU HEARD DADDY TELL US NOT TO OPEN IT UNTIL AFTER SUPPER

POOR LITTLE ELMER—HE DOESN'T UNDERSTAND LIKE WE DO, DADDY

CAPTAIN EASY

By LESLIE TURNER

I CAN'T PROMISE TO HAVE A CHILD FOR ADOPTION, MRS. HOLDEN... BUT CALL ME IN TWO WEEKS.

I CERTAINLY WILL, DOCTOR! IF IT'S THE FLORIDA BABY, MAY MY HUSBAND AND I GO DOWN TO BRING IT BACK.

IMPOSSIBLE! A NURSE WILL DO THAT! IT'S CUSTOMARY TO PUT UP A SMALL SUM AS AN INDICATION OF GOOD FAITH... \$100 WILL DO.

VERY WELL... I HAVE A CHECKBOOK, OH, I DO HOPE ONE OF THOSE PROSPECTS MATERIALIZES BY THEN!

LATER, SHE'S ONE CLIENT WHO'D MET ADOPTION AGENCY REQUIREMENTS, BUT GREN IMPATIENT WANDA! MOST OF 'EM WE GET WERE TURNED DOWN FOR SOME REASON!

SHE OUGHTA BE GOOD FOR \$2500, PHIL... IF SHE DOESN'T DECIDE TO CHECK ON YOU THRU THE MEDICAL ASSOCIATION.

BOOTS AND HER BUDDIES

By EDGAR MARTIN

SO! WHEN DO YOU INTEND TO "TO ASK MISS HIGH TO "AHM—MARRY YOU, WILLIAM?"

I DON'T SEE

THAT IT'S ANY CONCERN OF MINE? BUT IT IS!

WE ARE LEAVING THIS VICINITY TOMORROW EVENING TO PROCEED ON OUR TOUR!

FRECKLES AND HIS FRIENDS

By MERRILL BLOSSER

MOM, HOW DO YOU SPELL HETEROGENEOUS?

GOODNESS, SYLVESTER, I HAVEN'T THE SLIGHTEST IDEA...

WHY DON'T YOU LOOK IT UP IN THE DICTIONARY?

IT'S NOT HERE... I LOANED IT TO FRECKLES!

SORRY, NUTTY, I CAN'T! I LENT IT TO JUNE YESTERDAY!

SHADYSIDE 2 BAY. CALLING ALASKA 5 BZK! HELLO, KGOR—YOUR RADIO HAM PAL NUTTY CALLING—DO YOU HAVE A DICTIONARY HANDY?

VIC FLINT

By MICHAEL O'MALLEY and RALPH LANE

KNAVE, YOU'VE FLIPPED! HERE, JEAN—HAVE A GO AT CARRYING IT! NOT BAD, WHAT?

WITH BEST-OF-SHOW HONORS, AHM! JEAN—HA, HA—WHATEVER WE WALK OFF WITH, WE'VE GOT TO WATCH OUR STEP AND TONGUE! NIX ON THE QUESTIONS AND COME WITH ME!

PRISCILLA'S POP

By AL VERMFER

DID YOU HEAR ABOUT STUART?

HE GOT A NEW SLED FOR CHRISTMAS AND PILED IT INTO A STONE WALL!

HE BANGED HIS HEAD AND BUSTED THREE TEETH.

HE BLACKED HIS EYE.

DISLOCATED HIS ELBOW AND SPRAINED HIS KNEE!

A NEW SLED FOR CHRISTMAS?? WHAT A LUCKY GUY!

BUGS BUNNY

By WILSON SCRUGGS

BUGS, CAN YOU WAIT ON ME IN A HURRY?

SURE THING, FUDDY!

GET YER HANDS UP... BOTH OF YOU!

BE WITH YA IN A MINUTE, ELMER! WHAT IS IT YER IN SUCH A HURRY FER?

A NEW PAIR OF SUSPENDERS!

MARTHA WAYNE

By WILSON SCRUGGS

MR. HERRICK, DID MY SON SEE YOU YESTERDAY? HE WAS TO CALL ME LAST NIGHT BUT HE DON'T, AND I CAN'T RAISE HIM AT HIS HOTEL...

NEITHER CAN I, MR. NORMAN. HE PHONED ME YESTERDAY HE WAS ON HIS WAY TO MY OFFICE. HE NEVER GOT HERE, SHALL I REPORT IT TO THE POLICE?

YES, AND I'LL BE IN NEW YORK IN THE MORNING.

YOU GOT A NASTY BUMP AND A BAD CUT BUT NO FRACTURE. YOU WERE LUCKY, FEEL UP TO TALKING A LITTLE?

I CAN TALK, BUT HOW DID I GET HERE—AND WHO AM I?



## Leetonia

## Patterson To Head Polio Fund Campaign

LEETONIA — David M. Patterson, local insurance agent, has been appointed as Leetonia chairman for the 1955 March of Dimes polio fund drive.

The Boy Scout Troop, sponsored by the Leetonia Sportsmen's Association, will be presented with its charter at the meeting of the Sportsmen's Club at Cherry Valley Lodge Thursday at 8 p.m. Club president H. D. Arnold has issued an invitation to the public to attend, and urges that as many of the membership as possible be present. A number of out-of-town guests are expected.

**SERVICEMEN'S CLASS** of St. Paul Lutheran Church will be the guests in the Henry Nemenz home Wednesday evening. The class will hold a short business session which will be followed by a social hour. Refreshments will be served by the host. The party is scheduled to start at 7:30.

Miss Suzanne Rummel of Ohio State University spent her holiday vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. D. Rummel.

Guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Gotthardt Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Charles Stratton and son Charles of Dennison, Lester Gotthardt of Darlington, Pa., Mr. and Mrs. Joe Robson and daughter of East Palestine and Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Gotthardt, Jr.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Leonard Sr. visited Sunday with her sister, Mrs. Joe Miller of Niles.

Forrest Gotthardt of New Water-

ford visited his mother, Mrs. Lillie Gotthardt, Saturday.

Miss Gussie Ginter returned to Chicago Heights after spending her holiday vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Ginter.

## Obituary

## Fidler Funeral

Funeral service for Attorney William R. Fidler of Youngstown, formerly of Salem, will be held on Thursday at 2 p.m. at the Arbaugh-Pearce Funeral Home.

Burial will be in Woodside Cemetery. Friends may call at the funeral home Wednesday evening. Attorney Fidler died Monday at 5:40 a.m. after a three-day illness.

## Mrs. Frank Leach

Mrs. Mary Leach, 89, who resided with her daughter, Mrs. Andrew Beall, at 763 Newgarden Ave. died of complications this morning at 9:15 at Salem City Hospital. She had been ill for three years.

Born Jan. 7, 1865 in Wheeling, W. Va., she was the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Rauch. A resident of Salem for 71 years, she came here from Wheeling where she was a member of the German Lutheran Church.

She married Frank Leach Oct. 15, 1883 and prior to his death Feb. 6, 1952 they resided at 145 N. Madison Ave. A son, Charles, also preceded her in death.

Surviving besides her daughter, Mrs. Beall, are seven grandchildren; 15 great grandchildren; and a brother, Henry Rauch of Wheeling.

Funeral service will be held Friday at 2 p.m. at the Arbaugh-Pearce Funeral home with Rev. R. J. Hunter, Baptist minister officiating. Burial will take place in Grandview Cemetery.

Friends may call Thursday evening at the funeral home.

## Jaycee Meeting Called

All members are urged to attend a meeting Wednesday evening at 7:30 of the Salem Junior Chamber of Commerce board of directors in the Jaycee clubrooms.

The directors report important business is to be transacted which requires the presence of all Jaycees.

## Lisbon School Board

## Re-elects W. B. Ashton

LISBON — William B. Ashton of S. Lincoln Ave. was re-elected president of the board of education Monday night.

Robert Williams was named vice president and Mrs. Ilene Wojtecki was re-elected clerk.

The board adopted a policy to charge the David Anderson High School Athletic Association 20 cents a mile to transport basketball and football players to games away from home.

Under the new plan the association will pay the bus drivers' wages for the night. Formerly a flat rate of \$17 for each bus used was charged.

The board decided to buy 18 new desks for Lincoln school. A new radiator to heat the farm shop at the high school will be installed.

A tour of the high school building was made to decide how better use could be made of available space and to estimate the amount of rehabilitation funds needed for repairs next summer.

## Hospital Reports

## CITY HOSPITAL

Admissions: Cynthia Heim of 610 W. State St., Garratt Morris of Lisbon, W. Ray Calvin of Columbiana, John Fracas of 1885 Oak St., Mrs. Byron Snyder of Columbiana, Mrs. Leland Stanonik of New Waterford.

Denver Ewing of Lisbon, Mrs. Roy Knight of New Waterford, George Braund Jr., of 620 E. 2nd St., Frank Floor of Lisbon, Mrs. Roy Merrell of 636 E. 2nd St., Mrs. George Vaughn of RD 4, Salem.

Discharges: Ronald Janovec of RD 4, Salem, James Siler of Columbiana, Carl Severs of East Rochester, William Shears of Canfield, Mrs. George Ulrich of 770 Superior St., Mark Janowiak of 155 Jennings Ave.

Mrs. Paul Swesey and daughter of Washingtonville, Mrs. Elwood Waddell and son of Columbiana.

**CENTRAL CLINIC**  
Admissions: Mrs. Ruth Stewart of Washingtonville, Mrs. Sam Pappas of Lisbon, Mrs. Helen Shoemaker of 617 E. State St., Mrs. Elia McCartney of RD 1, Salem.

Discharges: Mrs. Robert Esenwein and son of Columbiana, Mrs. Frank Spellman of North Jackson.

## Birth Report

## CENTRAL CLINIC

Daughter, to Mr. and Mrs. Albert Hiner of RD 5, Salem, Monday.

Daughter, to Mr. and Mrs. Donald Milhoan of 744 N. Lincoln Ave., today.

**CITY HOSPITAL**  
Daughter, to Mr. and Mrs. William Gaston of Columbiana, Monday.

Daughter, to Mr. and Mrs. Byron Elchorn of North Lima, Monday.  
Daughter, to Mr. and Mrs. Norris Shafer of Negley, Monday.  
Daughter, to Mr. and Mrs. Atlee Swartz of Damascus, Monday.

**OUT OF TOWN**  
Son, to Mr. and Mrs. Philip Juarez of San Antonio, Tex., Dec. 29. The baby, named Felipe Ricardo, is the grandson of Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Vaughan of Highland Ave.

Daughter, to Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Davis of East Syracuse, N.Y., Dec. 27 in the hospital there. The baby is the granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Struck of Syracuse and Mrs. Harvey Davis of Salem.

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## All Of U. S.

## Seeks Russian Travel Ban

WASHINGTON (AP)—U.S. government action barring Russians from more than one-fourth of this country drew no immediate reaction from the Soviet Union — but a chorus of "why not us?" queries poured in on the State Department today from many of the remaining American communities.

In retaliation for Soviet restrictions on travel of Americans in Russia — and wowed by security reasons — the State Department yesterday declared 1,000 or so counties in 40 states off-limits to about 400 Russians working for the Soviet Embassy, the Amtorg trade agency and Russian news bureaus.

The Russian delegation to the U.N. also is affected, although some 50 Soviet citizens connected with the U.N. Secretariat are not.

The Russians must stay within a 25-mile radius of both New York and Washington and must give at least 48 hours notice of plans to travel elsewhere. But in any case, they are barred from specified areas, including 15-mile-wide belts along much of the northern and southern boundaries of the United States.

When necessary, they may go by rail or commercial airline through restricted areas to reach open points. But automobile and bus travel is banned except over specified routes along the East Coast and to the open areas south and west. Applications to travel to resorts "will be considered on the merits," the department said.

Protests have begun to roll in from many of the counties and the eight whole states left open to Soviet travel.

## Former Salem Pastor Dies At Age 75

CINCINNATI (AP)—Funeral services will be held Thursday for Dr. Isaac M. Miller, who served as superintendent of the Cincinnati, Cleveland, Columbus and Youngstown districts of the Methodist Church in Ohio.

Dr. Miller died yesterday in his home in suburban North College Hill at the age of 75.

Before he retired from the active ministry, he had served pastorates in Steubenville, Salem, East Liverpool, Columbus and Cincinnati.

Dr. Miller was pastor in Salem in 1914-15, preceding the late Rev. R. F. Mayer.

## GRANGE PLANS BENEFIT

The public is invited to the benefit card party at Willow Grove Grange Wednesday at 8:30 p.m. Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Stamp, Mr. and Mrs. William Werner and Mr. and Mrs. Ray Denny comprise the committee.

## Market Report

## CLEVELAND EGG MARKET

Consumer grades, prices to retailers, includes U. S. grades: Large A white 45-46; brown 44-45; medium A white 37-40; brown 36-38; large B white 38-40; brown 36-38.

Wholesale grades, extras, minimum 60 per cent A quality; large white 31-35; brown 30 1/2-31; medium white 29-30; brown 28-30.

Brown or fryers, 2 1/4 lbs., white 24-27; heavy type 21-22; hens, light type 12-14; old roosters 11-12.

## CHICAGO GRAINS

Corn started out firm in an otherwise irregular grain market on the Board of Trade today.

Wheat started unchanged to 1/4 lower, March \$2.34 1/2; corn 1/4 to 1/2 higher, March \$1.58 1/2; oats 1/4 lower to 1/2 higher, March 78 1/2; soybeans 3/4 lower to 1 1/2 higher, January \$2.84 1/2.

## CLEVELAND LIVESTOCK

Cattle 400, active and steady, steers choice to prime 26.00-28.00; actual; good to choice 22.00-23.00; medium and good 15.00-22.00. Cows, good and choice 11.00-12.50; commercial 10.00-11.00; utility 9.00-10.00; canners and cutters 7.00-9.00; bulls, choice butcher 15.00-17.00; bologna bulls 14.00-16.00.

Calves 300, steady; choice to prime 24.00-28.00; medium to good 18.00-20.00; common 8.00-15.00.

Sheep and lambs 500, steady; choice spring lambs 19.00-21.50; medium to good 15.00-17.00; common 10.00-15.00; wethers good to choice 4.00-5.00; choice ewes 4.00-5.00; common sheep 2.00-4.00.

Hogs 800, 25-50 higher; yorkers 160-180 lbs. 17.00-18.50; mixed 180-230 lbs. 18.75-19.00; mixed 230-250 lbs. 17.75-18.25; mediums 250-300 lbs. 16.50-17.50; heavies 300-400, 15.00-16.00; roughs 12.00-15.00; stags 11.00-12.50.

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## Goshen Bond Issue

## To Be Re-submitted

DAMASCUS — The Goshen Union Citizens Committee met recently to make plans for a new school bond issue to be voted on this year.

The committee plans to make a report to all voters on the requirements, needs and plans for the Goshen Union School District, based on the recommendations of a State Survey Committee.

The committee also has requested information from superintendent W. C. Smith, superintendent of Mahoning County Schools, as to the possibility of obtaining an audit of the school records for the past five years. After the audit reports are obtained, they will also be made available to the voters of the district.

The school expansion project was turned down by voters last November.

## Body Of Famous

## Aviatrix Found

LONG BEACH, Calif. (AP)—Ten more gallons of fuel might have saved Dianna Bixby, 32, noted aviatrix whose broken body was flown back here from Mexico by her grieving husband.

"If she had had any kind of break at all—if she had 10 more gallons of gas—she would have made it," said Lt. E. S. Childers, copilot of a San Diego Coast Guard plane which located the wreckage of Mrs. Bixby's plane.

Robert Bixby, 40, her husband, couldn't say anything to reporters when he arrived last night.

Mrs. Bixby's freight cargo plane, a converted A20 bomber, crashed Sunday 150 miles offshore in the Gulf of California near Loreto, Baja California, Mexico. She and her husband, operators of an air freight service, had been flying two planes to Mexico to bring produce back. Bixby, flying about an hour behind his wife, heard her say over the radio she was nearly out of gas but thought she had spotted a clearing for a landing.

He searched by air, then returned to their Long Beach headquarters Sunday night.

## Tax Rates

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District, 24.80 (23.40), Lisbon Village, 25.60 (23.40).  
Salem Township: United Local School District, 22.40 (20.00), Salem City School District, 25.00 (24.60), Washingtonville Village, 25.60 (25.40), Leetonia Exempted Village School District, 21.00 (20.80), Leetonia Village, 21.40 (21.40).

Franklin Township: Franklin Local School District, 20.00 (17.80), Summitville Village, 20.00 (17.80).  
Hanover Township: United Local School District, 23.20 (20.80), Hanover Village, 23.20 (20.80).

Butler Township: United Local School District, 23.80 (21.40), Goshen Local School District, 22.60 (22.70), Knox Local School District, 23.60 (21.00).

Perry Township: Salem City School District, 25.20 (24.80), Salem City, 27.20 (26.80).

West Township: West Local School District, 22.80 (20.40), Knox Township, Knox School District, 22.00 (19.40), Goshen School District, 21.00 (21.10), Smith School District, 20.10 (19.80), and Alliance City School District, 22.00 (22.20).

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## Sen. Coldwater

## Supported For Campaign Role

WASHINGTON (AP)—White House assent was reported today for a move to name Sen. Goldwater of Arizona as chairman of the Republican Senatorial Campaign Committee.

If he is chosen by the Conference of Republican Senators, he would step into the place now filled by Sen. Dirksen of Illinois, ineligible under present rules because he is expected to become a candidate for re-election in 1956.

Both Goldwater and Dirksen voted "no" when the Senate Dec. 22 condemned Sen. McCarthy (R-Wis.) 67-22 for some of his actions, but when McCarthy criticized President Eisenhower Dec. 7, Goldwater was among the first to defend the President.

At that time, McCarthy said Eisenhower had congratulated those who had hampered the exposure of Communists. And he accused the President of displaying a "shrinking show of weakness" in dealing with Communist China's imprisonment of 11 American airmen as "spies."

Goldwater announced he was solidly behind Eisenhower and disagreed with what he said was McCarthy's contention that "the Eisenhower administration has not fought communism at home and abroad."

While the choice of a campaign committee chairman lies with Senate Republicans, some leaders were reported to have consulted Eisenhower's closest aides. They reportedly were told there would be no White House objection to having Goldwater take charge of a campaign in which 17 GOP seats and control of the Senate will be at stake.

The campaign committee chairman is often included in the councils of the GOP Senate leadership, expected to include a solid front of senators who voted against censure of McCarthy.

The Republicans scheduled a conference of all their members today at which Sen. Knowland of California was expected to be re-elected floor leader without opposition.

## Ohio CIO President

## Seeks Aid To Jobless

CLEVELAND (AP)—The Ohio CIO Council's president, James P. Griffin of Youngstown, urged federal grants in aid to help Ohio counties hit by mounting unemployment.

Griffin, reporting yesterday to the council's 21-member executive board, listed federal aid as part of a program for consideration by delegates to the council's three-day convention, beginning here Thursday.

Some 500,000 CIO members in Ohio will be represented by 1,300 delegates at convention sessions.

Griffin said the council should call for legislative changes that would require the state to match county relief costs on a 50-50 basis and to grant county commissioners authority to sell relief bonds.

Council leaders also attacked what they termed inadequacies in the state's unemployment and workmen's compensation laws.

The origin of meteorites is still controversial. Generally, they are believed to be lumps from an exploded planet or perhaps two that collided.

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## Hamarskjold Arrives

## In China For Talks

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## Woman Tells Probers

## Of Threat To Life

WASHINGTON (AP)—Sen. McClellan (D-Ark.) said today the Senate Investigations subcommittee may inquire further into a woman witness' story that a Communist threatened her life.

Dark-haired Mary Stella Beynon, 31, who said she is former FBI undercover informant, told part of the story yesterday as a witness at the subcommittee's last scheduled public hearing before Sen. McCarthy (R-Wis.) hands its chairmanship over to McClellan in the new Congress.

McClellan says he plans some investigations of Communists, possibly including some follow-through hearings based on Miss Beynon's story.

Miss Beynon told the subcommittee that Roy Hudson, whom she described as a former chairman of the Communist party in western Pennsylvania, informed her on May 13, 1947, that "I would not be killed that night, but I was under a death sentence." She said Communists had just learned she was reporting to the FBI. She did not indicate there ever had been an attempt on her life.

## Two May Be

## Involved In

## Girl's Slaying

BUENOS AIRES, Ohio (AP)—Private funeral services are scheduled today in nearby Gallion for 16-year-old Patricia Spears, whose nude body was found Saturday in a secluded rural area about two miles from her home.

Crawford County authorities continued questioning her brother Frederick, 17, but last night had not ruled whether he could attend services. He was held in county jail here. No charges were filed.

An autopsy showed the blue-eyed Gallion high school sophomore had been strangled, both manually and with some form of rope. Investigators said she had not been sexually attacked.

Dr. B. P. Mansfield, coroner, said the autopsy report suggested the girl may have been dragged by two persons to the thicket where she was found.

The report, by Dr. Emerich Von Haam of Ohio State University, said this theory stemmed from the position of scratches on the girl's chest.

Sheriff Elwood F. Jacobs said casts of tire tracks found near where the body was discovered were "similar" to those on the girl's brother's car, but could not be positively identified for several days.

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